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'Quasi-Experts' Befog Defense, Says Roosevelt

Bill Is Introduced for Naval Air Base On Wrangel Island, Which Soviet Claims; President Defends Military Program Calls Plane Sales 'Perfectly Legal'

American Armament Production

WAR DEPARTMENT is working out a plan to gear the aviation industry for mass production in time of war, equal in capacity to that of Germany.—Page 2.

NETHERLANDS JOINS other democracies in rush to purchase armaments here, with arrival of a mission to buy planes, motor torpedo boats and other equipment.—Page 2.

Roosevelt Hits 'Experts'

By the Associated Press.

Aboard Roosevelt Train, en Route to Key West, Feb. 17.—President Roosevelt today defended the sale of American military planes to France as 100 per cent legal and asserted the Government had facilitated the transaction.

Talking with reporters in a private car taking him on the first leg of a Southern cruise, the Chief Executive declined to comment on a statement that sale of latest type bombers to the French was made over protest of Gen. Malin Craig, Army chief of staff.

When asked specifically whether he personally supervised or facilitated the transaction, he said this was true if his reply was prefaced by saying the French had an absolute right to buy, that the sale was 100 per cent legal and the whole Government facilitated it.

Still Feels Weak

Mr. Roosevelt received reporters in the observation compartment of his private car. It was his first press conference in more than a week. He showed little sign of having had the grippe, but said he still was a little weak.

Replying to further questions on foreign affairs, he attacked writings by civilians who set themselves up as quasi-naval and military experts and fed the people what he called bunk.

He also said he had talked about the economic and political relations between the United States and Brazil at his conference yesterday with Dr. Oswaldo Aranha, Brazilian foreign minister in Washington, and added these relations were going along very well.

Calls Brazil Grand Chance

Brazil offered a grand chance for Americans who might want to colonize there, he said, in response to a question, but explained this subject had not been discussed with Aranha.

His comment on pseudo-military experts came after several magazine articles had been mentioned by the newsmen, including one to the effect that Germany was willing to sell planes to all countries in order to get her factories on a mass-production basis.

This was typical, he said, of the bunk being handed out to the American people today.

Discounts Taylor Rumor

Ever since he was born, he said, there had been instances where people adopted military titles and sold their writings to magazines and newspaper syndicates expecting the people to believe them. A great many people, even some members of Congress, do believe them, he said.

He described as just a lot of words reports that Wayne C. Taylor resigned as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury because he felt the Treasury was using the stabilization fund and otherwise helping other countries in ideological rather than grounds of fiscal need.

Discussing his cruise plan, the President said he did not know exactly where the cruiser Houston would take him from Key West, where he embarks tomorrow afternoon to watch some of the fleet

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Loss of Secrets Denied

By Robert C. Albright.

War Department officials were directly authorized by the President to assist a French mission in purchasing military planes in this country, after a protest had been entered by the Army's Air Corps chief, the Senate Military Affairs Committee disclosed yesterday.

New details of the transaction, including a copy of the War Department order authorizing inspection of Douglass light bombers, and Army safeguards against a "fishing expedition" by the French, were made public in a committee transcript of Wednesday's hearing.

Publication of the Army's own version of plane purchase negotiations, revealing that no military secrets were disclosed to the French, coincided with advances of the President's new defense program on both House and Senate fronts.

Wilson Testifies

Ambassador to Germany Hugh R. Wilson testified in secrecy before the Senate Military Affairs Committee on the European situation. Members said he declined to commit himself on important questions of war imminence and American involvement because it might impair his usefulness as Ambassador.

The House Naval Affairs Committee voted 22 to 1 to report the new naval base bill, cut to $33,800,000 at the last minute, when action on a Southeastern base was postponed. Chairman Vinson said the bill would be called up in the House Tuesday, with provision for a separate vote on the controversial Guam authorization.

Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina, in the Senate, and Representative Maas (Republican), of Minnesota, in the House, introduced a bill for establishment of a naval air base on Wrangel Island, northwest of Alaska, where title is disputed by Russia. Reynolds attacked proposed improvements at Guam.

Hearing on Army Bill

The Senate Military Affairs committee opened hearings on the $367,000,000 Army expansion bill, with Brig. Gen. Lorenzo D. Gasser and Brig. Gen. George Strong of the Army general staff on the stand. They indorsed the House bill save in one particular—regular pension and retirement benefits to National Guard and Reserve Corps officers assigned to active duty.

Senator King (Democrat), of

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Virginian, 7 Children Perish in Fire

Wife Carries Son, 2, To Safety When Blaze Levels Home Near Manassas

Ed Hansborough, 40, a carpenter, and seven of his eight children were burned to death last night when fire destroyed their home at Greenwich, Va., near Manassas.

Hansborough was reading with his wife in their cottage when he saw flames licking the walls. He started for Manassas to summon aid.

After leaving the house he realized how perilous the blaze was and dashed back into the bungalow to rescue his children He never came back.

Mrs. Hansborough, meanwhile, had rushed upstairs and carried her 2-year-old son, Johnny, to safety. Her husband and the other children, boys and girls all less than 12 years old, perished.

Neighbors said they had been unable to learn the cause of the fire and that ten minutes before the tragedy there had been no indication of a blaze.

House Unfinished

Mrs. Hansborough became hysterical and with her son was taken to a neighbor's home.

Friends of the family said the Hansborough house was less than 2 years old and that parts of it were still under construction.

They explained that the house was heated by wood stoves. Fire Chief P. W. Howard, of Manassas, declared the cause of the blaze undetermined.

Commonwealth's Attorney William Hill Brown, Sheriff G. P. Kerwin and Coroner Marstello, all of Manassas, launched an investigation.

The children caught in the flames were Harriet, 12; Buddy, Sam, Molly, Beulah, Lena and Effie.

Congress Honors Frances Willard; Suffrage Pioneer

By the Associated Press.

Congress honored yesterday the memory of Frances E. Willard, only woman whose statue stands in the Capitol's statutary hall.

Tributes to the woman pioneer in education, temperance, woman suffrage and social justice were paid by Representative O'Day (Democrat), New York, Miss Willard's native State! Representative Church (Democrat), of Illinois, and Senator Sheppard (Democrat), of Texas, father of the Eighteenth Amendment.

Yesterday, the 100th anniversary of Miss Willard's death, was marked by beginning of Nation-wide celebration of Frances E. Willard Week.

Mexican Party Leader Slain

Cuautla, Mexico, Feb. 17 (U.P.).—Andres Duarte, a member of the federal Chamber of Deputies, today was murdered as he walked through the main square here with several other politicians. His assassin escaped. Duarte formerly was a leader of agrarian groups in Morelos State and opposed the candidacy of Gov. Elpidio Perdomo in the last elections.

Belgian Consulate Raiders Arrested

Brussels, Feb. 17 (AP).—Police armed with a foreign office ejection decree today broke into the Spanish consulate and arrested nine Spaniards, insurgent sympathizers, who had seized the building in a swift night raid.

Police said a former member of the consulate staff had led the raiders, who forced a secretary to sign over the property to representatives of insurgent Gen. Franco.

Charged with breaking into a private home, the men face possible deportation.

Kennedy, Jr., Sees How Madrid Looks After Long Siege

Madrid, Feb. 17 (AP).—Joseph Kennedy, jr., son of the United States Ambassador to London, saw for himself today what Madrid looks like after more than two years of siege.

The 23-year-old Harvard graduate, who came here yesterday to "look around," left the shell-scarred United States embassy early for a tour of the war-weary city.

The populace, encouraged by a 24-hour lapse in the attacks, left underground refuges and lined up patiently for its scant daily food rations.

Kennedy planned to return to the coast this week-end. He said he probably would sail for France aboard a British warship.

Duce Escapes as Bodyguard Is Shot Intercepting Madman

(Picture on Page 4.)

By the United Press.

Rome, Feb. 17.—A madman identified as Bruno Simoni, 38, shot a member of Premier Benito Mussolini's bodyguard when he was intercepted in front of Il Duce's home a few minutes before the premier was scheduled to leave for his office last Tuesday, it was announced officially tonight.

It was learned authoritatively that Simoni told police he was waiting for Mussolini to appear

Mussolini came out in time to see the other guards and the chauffeur of his own automobile, which was at the gate, drag the revolver from the pocket of the assailant.

Many attempts have been made on Mussolini's life and at least 1,000 men, according to conservative estimates, have sworn to kill him. He has had several narrow escapes.

Star Entertained By Senator Pepper

KITTY CARLISLE, musical star of stage and screen, arrived in Washington yesterday to visit Mrs. Claude Pepper, rode on the Capitol subway tram with Senator Pepper and was entertained at a "bachelor luncheon" on Capitol Hill

Ickes to Scan Robert Link to PWA Project

First Requisition Against Grant Will Bring His Scrutiny

Interior Secretary Ickes will scrutinize closely the $1,800,000 PWA grant to Georgia in connection with which charges have been made before the State Legislature against L. W. ("Chip") Robert, jr., it was disclosed last night.

The grant will be immediately before Ickes whenever the first requisition against it is presented. None of the fund has been disbursed as yet, it was learned. It is for construction of a State hospital for the insane at Milledgeville.

It seemed possible last night that the first requisition would be for fees for architectural and engineering services performed by a firm Robert heads.

Might Cancel Contract

It was indicated that, if he should find Robert's fees improper, as charged in the Georgia Legislature, Ickes might cancel the Milledgeville grant entirely, as has been his practice in other cases.

The contract between the Public Works Administration and the State of Georgia covering the grant, it was disclosed, contains a provision authorizing cancelation if it is found that any consideration is to be paid for "lobbying."

Representative De Lacey Allen, a member of the Georgia Legislature, has led a fight against the 6 per cent fee payable to Robert's firm of consulting engineers in connection with the works program. It has been implied that 1 per cent of the fee was for "promotion."

PWA policy is to scrutinize all requisitions "with a magnifying glass," it is said. The test will be

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Dies, Doughton And McIntyre Are Hospitalized

By the United Press.

Two members of Congress and a Presidential secretary were confined to hospitals last night and all were reported in satisfactory condition.

Representative Dies (Democrat), Texas, was in "good condition" after undergoing an appendectomy yesterday morning.

Representative Doughton (Democrat), North Carolina, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, was at Naval Hospital with a mild case of bronchitis.

Marvin McIntyre, White House secretary, also was at Naval Hospital, suffering from a severe case of intestinal influenza.

Ohio Pupils Strike; Protest Whipping

Ashland, Ohio, Feb. 17 (AP).—President C. S. McNall today called a special meeting of the Montgomery township school board tomorrow night to consider a four-day strike of 40 grade school children who complained, McNall said, their teacher "whipped them beyond reason."

McNall said the teacher, Miss Gwendolyn Workman, 32, had been asked to resign, but refused, declaring she was justified. He said the 40 pupils of Miss Workman's one-room school, ranging from 6 to 14 years in age, went on strike Tuesday when parents of a 12-year-old girl charged the teacher switched the girl "until the skin on her back was broken."

Have No Fear, Roosevelt Tells Business

Taxes Will Be Held To Present Level, President Declares, Urging Expansion

By the Associated Press.

Aboard Roosevelt Train En Route to Key West, Fla., Feb. 17.—President Roosevelt assured business and industry today they had nothing to fear in the way of new and heavier taxes or Federal spending outside budgetary limits.

He also declared the Federal Government had no further programs for power development in mind and that fears on this score on the part of private utilities were groundless and had been for a year and a half.

Nothing, therefore, should stand in the way of the power holding companies integrating their systems under the utility act and going ahead with all private construction plans, he said.

No Worry on Taxes

His statements were made at a press conference aboard his train. They were prompted by a question whether the Administration was considering any "business appeasement" moves, and another query for comment on "fears" on the part of some in business who hesitate to do anything with the budget unbalanced.

A third questioner observed some people contended it was up to the President to recommend new taxes to help balance the budget.

It was to this question that Mr. Roosevelt replied no one needed to worry about taxes. He said there would be need for worry if Congress did not renew expiring taxes or if it appropriated large sums outside the budget. But he said there was no prospect of either of those things happening.

Discounts "Fears"

He replied with a question of his own on the "appeasement" interrogation. He wanted to know what there was to appease and asked his questioner to get down to specific cases.

When told there were "fears" on the part of some in the utility field, the President remarked that was just one example of how generalities are destroyed when viewed in the light of specific facts.

He said for a year and a half 95 per cent of the utility people had known and accepted as fact that the Government was not going in for further power development. In that time, he added, every holding company but two had gradually come in and registered under the holding company act.

Notes Two Exceptions

That marked a complete understanding, he said, that the Government had no further power programs in mind.

The two exceptions he mentioned were Associated Gas and Electric and Commonwealth and Southern.

The former, he said, was involved with the Government on a charge of failing to live up to the law and with fraud. This was still before the courts, he said. The rest of the industry understood this particular

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Benes Sees No War In Near Future; Cheers Democracy

Chicago, Feb. 17 (AP).—Dr. Eduard Benes, former president of Czecho-Slovakia, tonight envisioned four courses in an analysis of European affairs—peace, disintegration, revolution and war.

But ultimately, he predicted in the address marking his first public appearance under the auspices of the University of Chicago, the democratic spirit would triumph. He is a visiting professor at the university.

Dr. Benes favored the theory that no European conflict would break out in the near future, but reported there had been little or no decrease in fears of a "heavy conflagration eventually."

Townsend Defines $200 Pensions as Only Beginning

By the Associated Press.

The man who raised the hopes of countless old folk for $200-a-month pensions told the House Ways and Means Committee yesterday that $200 was only a start.

Dr. F. E. Townsend, sponsor of the pension plan which carries his name, testified that effects of the $200 payments would be so salutary that in a few years "we'll go to $300."

The plan, he asserted, is a means of diverting the "streams of profits" into the pockets of the people who "have not," as means of stimulating the Nation's business.

Marshal Ousts Two Aides in Suppression Of Warring Evidence

DAVID A. PINE says evidence was suppressed

BOLITHA J. LAWS, presiding judge at trial

JOHN B. COLPOYS suspends two deputies

East, Allen Suspended After Giving Surprise Testimony In Jury Fixing

United States Marshal John B. Colpoys early today suspended two deputies who gave sensational testimony in favor of two lawyers on trial yesterday in the Warring jury tampering scandal.

Colpoys accused his men of suppressing the evidence from Monday to Wednesday. The suspensions topped off a series of fast-cracking exposures in the jury scandal, which kept up until court adjourned late last night.

Among the developments:

Deputy John B. Upperman, who pleaded guilty to two bribery citations, contradicted himself frequently when he testified against Attorneys Harry T. Whelan and William B. O'Connell, who were tried for complicity with Emmitt Warring, numbers racket boss, in fixing the jury which tried him.

Colpoys Ousts Two Aides

After Upperman swore he got a $100 bribe in small bills from Whelan instead of a $100 bill from Warring, Deputies Thomas R. East and Harry C. Allen testified Upperman showed them a $100 bill about the time Warring swore he paid one to Upperman.

Astounded by these surprise witnesses, District Attorney Pine accused Colpoys and Chief Deputy Michael Kearney of suppressing the evidence. Later Pine accepted Colpoys' protests that he didn't know about the evidence.

Colpoys then took away the credentials of East and Allen.

Three other deputy marshals "resigned" because of rule violations exposed by Warring trial witnesses.

Revealed by Juror

Kearney, and other witnesses disclosed that Juror Carl T. Denekas exposed the jury fixing scandal Sunday, February 5, after brooding over having been offered a bribe for several days while he was kept in custody with the rest of the jury.

Denekas first told his story to Upperman, who thus broke the scandal in which he later was deeply involved.

Whelan testified that Upperman asked him for $150 and said he needed it because former Chief Deputy Marshal Tom Ott, who has been dismissed, did not pay Upperman money he owed him. Whelan said Upperman told him Ott got the money to replace $800 he collected from his staff for campaign purposes and appropriated for his own use.

A staggering surprise to everybody in court but the defense counsel who summoned them, was the testimony of Allen and East that they took evidence valuable to the two accused lawyers to Kearney, who was supposed to take it to Colpoys.

Colpoys and Kearney, according to statements made in the recess, told neither defense counsel, the prosecutor's staff nor the court.

Warring Says He Gave $100

Previous testimony in the Warring case made the deputy marshals' evidence the firing-pin of the late afternoon explosion.

Deputy Marshal John B. Upperman, 57, sole witness against O'Connell and Whelan, swore that Whelan bribed him with $100 in $5 and $10 bills about December 20, last year.

Emmitt Warring swore that it was he who gave Upperman the $100 and said it was a single $100 bill.

Under defense cross-examination yesterday, Upperman swore he had no $100 bill at all at the time in question. When asked by defense counsel whether certain persons had not seen him with a $100 bill Upperman first said they were mistaken, then said he remembered

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D. C. Heads To Draft Own Reorganization

To Base Plan on 3 Surveys; Capper Hits School Board Change

The District Commissioners yesterday undertook to assemble their own government reorganization plan, based on three previous surveys, including the Griffenhagen report. Other developments affecting District reorganization were:

Senator Capper (Republican), of Kansas, member of the Senate District Committee, announced he would lead the fight against any move to make the Board of Education a "dependent" agency.

A special Board of Trade Committee began consideration of the Griffenhagen plan.

Senator King (Democrat), of Utah, chairman of the Senate District Committee, planned to confer with Representative Kennedy (Democrat), of Maryland, chairman of the House District Committee, to arrange for a joint hearing on reorganization, possibly next week.

The Commissioners, it was learned yesterday, have instructed Corporation Counsel Elwood H. Seal, Maj. Daniel J. Donovan, District auditor, and Capt. H. C. Whitehurst, director of highways, to study the three existing surveys and select the "best ideas for a reorganization plan."

To Attend Hearings

The three District officials spent several hours yesterday in going through the Griffenhagen, Prettyman and Brookings Institute reports and selecting the recommendations in which the reports concur.

The commissioners ordered the new plan following reports of growing opposition to several Griffenhagen proposals. Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen discounted rumors the commissioners were opposed to any revamping and pointed out that two years ago they appointed a committee of 21 District residents to make recommendations for municipal reform. The committee, headed by E. Barrett Prettyman, former corporation counsel, pre-

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Flu Keeps 50,000 Home in Detroit

Detroit, Feb. 17 (AP).—Dr. Henry F. Vaughan, Detroit health commissioner, said today an official survey had disclosed 50,000 Detroit school children were absent from classes because of the current epidemic of respiratory ailments. The city's total school population is 260,000.

Dr. Vaughan said the 50,000 figure probably included many children whose parents are keeping them home "to avoid possible contagion at school."

Hazen Backs Ruhland Plan For Gallinger

Resident Physician System Favored At Conference

Commissioner Hazen said yesterday he would support Health Officer Ruhland in his plan to retain control of the five major departments at Gallinger Hospital, which yesterday was the subject of a conference between the health officer and presidents of two medical schools.

"I am willing to abide by recommendations of Dr. Ruhland's advisory committee that resident physicians at the hospital be retained in their present status," Hazen declared.

Meanwhile, the Commissioners revealed minutes of a meeting August 17, at which time Dr. Ruhland and the medical schools agreed that the administration of medical services at the hospital would remain as it had been in the past.

4 Provisions Attached

However, four provisos were attached to this "agreement." One stated that the health department "reserves official ratification until it has an opinion from the legal department reversing an informal opinion of Mr. (William H.) Wahly of that department stated by Dr. Ruhland to be to the effect that the practice in the past of having these voluntary medical workers serve as heads of departments at Gallinger Hospital was illegal."

It was brought out that Dr. Ruhland had requested and received an informal opinion from Wahly that the medical school visiting staff could not legally serve as heads of the departments after five full-time resident staff physicians were appointed by the health officer.

At the time of the meeting, it was suggested that a formal opinion be

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2 Men, 2 Women Indicted in Deaths Of 10 by Poison

Philadelphia, Feb. 17 (AP).—Two men and two women, accused of poisoning ten victims to collect insurance, were indicted today on charges of murder, manslaughter, conspiracy to murder and conspiracy to cheat five insurance companies.

Chief among the witnesses before the grand jury was John Cacopardo, serving a murder sentence in Sing Sing. Cacopardo said an offer had been made to him to join the ring, which detectives said operated in Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York.

Those indicted were Paul Petrillo, 45, a tailor; Herman Petrillo, 27, his nephew, and Stella Alfonsi and Carina Favita, relatives of two men whose bodies were exhumed and in which the coroner said traces of poison were found.

FHA Pay Purse Empty Again; Senate Blocks Use of Reserve

Although it is a "self-sustaining" agency, the FHA faces the prospect of putting its 4,200 employes—1,500 of them in the District of Columbia—on payless furloughs after March 1.

Unless action of the Senate Appropriations Committee in striking from the independent offices bill permission for FHA to tap its reserve funds to pay employes in the next few months is reversed, the prospect looms as a certainty, FHA officials said yesterday.

The House, acting quickly last week when it became apparent the FHA had "overspent" its 1939 allotment made the agencies $2,500,000 insurance reserves available. It was declared at the time that under liberalized FHA rulings pay-roll money had been spent in anticipation of a deficiency appropriation.

The Senate's action was seen last night as a rebuke to budget officials who advised the "overspending," and it was believed the difficulty would be ironed out in conference.

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Army Drafts Bill for Mass Plane Building

Program Calls for Production of 1,000 Fighting Ships Monthly

War Department officials revealed yesterday they are drafting legislation to prepare the aviation industry for mass production of planes in war.

Viewed as of equal importance to the defense bill now before Congress, the measure would put the American plane industry in a position to produce 1,000 planes a month in an emergency, a peak recently reached by Germany. The present limit of United States industry is 200 a month, it was said.

Stressing need for plants to be geared for instant production, officials declared that the 5,500 planes provided under the $500,000,000 defense program would be wiped out within three months after war starts. After the destruction of existing air fleets, the speed with which they could be replaced would be a determining factor in any war, it was pointed out.

To Spread Production

Officials said that close to 4,000 planes will be built for the Army in the next two years, including replacements. Under the present procurement law, it was stated, three or four aviation companies will obtain the bulk of the construction. To permit the program to be spread over the 12 major plants, the War Department proposes to suspend competitive bidding and allocate each company an even share.

Such a plan, it was said, will mean that all plants would procure jigs, dies and machine tools for building the latest type combat planes and would train additional personnel. Instead of three or four plants geared for war production, which might be destroyed by bombs or sabotage in war, a large, full-blown industry would be equipped to go into mass production in an emergency under the proposed procedure, officials said.

Concern Exhibited

A shortage of aviation craftsmen has occasioned Army officials much concern. While Germany has more than 200,000 men engaged in building planes, and England and France each have nearly half that number, United States aviation industry employes only 27,000, it was said.

Congress always has opposed any relaxation of laws requiring competitive bidding in Government purchasing, but members of the House Military Affairs Committee said yesterday that a temporary suspension of the law probably would be acceptable.

Chairman May (Democrat), of Kentucky, declared his committee hoped to have the War Department bill before it by the end of next week, and would take it up immediately. Departmental officials expressed doubt, however, that it would be ready by then.

The War Department plan contemplates ordering the best of each type from several plants, including that of the company which developed the type and all others equipped to build planes.

Contracts would be negotiated, with Army inspectors viewing company books and fixing fair costs. Profits would be limited under the present Navy law.

House Daughters Have Luncheon in Capitol

Associated Press Photo.

Daughters of Representatives who lunched in the Capitol Cafe yesterday were, left to right, standing, Enid White, Mrs. Henry Earle, a guest; Margaret Rich, Fanchon Aldrich; seated, Bonnie Patton, Katherine Garrett, Patricia Houston, Alice Arnold, Virginia Garrett, Betsy Barton and Betty Lou Massingale

Dutch Naval Mission Seeks Arms in U. S.

May Buy 'Perhaps 100 Planes' for Home Defenses

Another of Europe's democracies has turned to the United States in its efforts to arm, it was revealed last night as arrival of a Netherlands naval mission became known.

A six-man group headed by a vice admiral of the Netherlands navy reached here Tuesday and has sought co-operation of the Navy Department in contacting manufacturers of naval material.

Seek 100 Planes

While members of the mission would not disclose the size of their prospective purchases, an embassy spokesman said their orders would include seaplanes, motor torpedo boats, machine guns, anti-aircraft equipment and ammunition. Capt. J. E. Meijer Ranneft, naval attache, said that "perhaps" 100 planes would be bought, depending upon prices.

While armament exports to the Netherlands have been extensive in the last several years, practically all equipment has gone to the Dutch East Indies army. Two officers of the colonial army now are in the United States, in connection with purchase of 117 planes from the Glenn Martin Company in Baltimore and a "lesser number" from the Lockheed factory in California, Captain Ranneft disclosed.

The new mission is from the home country. It is composed of Vice Admiral M. H. Van Dulm, Comdr. J. W. Dermydelen, Lieut. Comdr. Dettnburg, Lieut. Comdr. van Leeuwen, and two Army officers, Capt. Kok and Capt. van Giessen. Armament to be bought will be used to strengthen the Dutch European fleet, it was said.

Australia Orders 50

Officials at the Navy Department said the group had contacted them, but would not reveal whether an officer would be detailed to assist them, as was done in the case of the recent French air mission.

A report filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission yesterday by the Lockheed Co. reveals that it contracted December 12 to supply the Netherlands East Indies with 12 military planes. Fifty military planes have been ordered by Australia, the Lockheed report also showed.

Maugham Assures Friends Here He Won't Write of Them

Novelist Says English Can't Tell Stories of U.S. and Vice Versa

W. Somerset Maugham, the English novelist, declared yesterday that he considered himself a Washingtonian because he has been making periodic visits here for more than 28 years.

The assertion came when he was asked, in his rooms at the Mayflower Hotel, whether he came to the United States from his permanent home at Cap Ferrat, between Nice and Monte Carlo on the Mediterranean, to find a different environment for his writing.

"I came for pleasure," he explained, "to see some of my friends, and to get my income tax straightened out."

Author of several books that are characterized by their exotic settings, such as "The Moon and Sixpence;" the short story., "Sadie Thompson," which became the immensely popular play, "Rain" and "Of Human Bondage," the British novelist does not expect to find much that is unusual from his point of view in the United States.

"I spent last winter in India, and I am going back there next winter," he confided. "It's because of the extraordinary interest of the country, and the queer people you meet. I get my material out of the strange countries.

"There is good material in the United States, but it is very difficult for an Englishman to deal with Americans. I haven't ever seen an Englishman write a convincing portrait of an American, or vice versa.

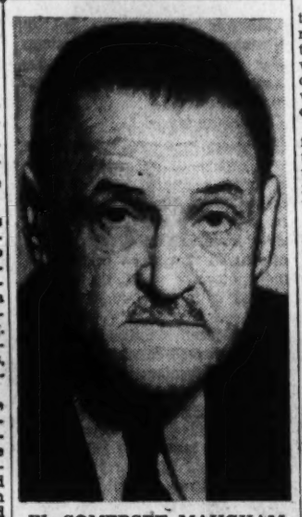
"Sadie Thompson," he admitted, "was an American. But that was a short story. If I tried to write a novel about American people, it would read at once as untrue. I write about English people in exotic circumstances, because I know them. I am one of those writers who only writes about those things I know—unfortunately."

"Unfortunately, because others do not write that way, too?" he was asked.

"No, there are people who've got an imagination of such a character that they can write things out of their head," he said. "For instance, I have a friend who wrote a novel about Labrador. It read just as though he knew Labrador, but he had never been there. If I were going to write a novel about Labrador, I would have to go there and look at it.

"There are novelists, too," he added, "who say they make up their characters out of their heads. But they are either damned liars, or they don't know what they are talking about. Nothing is written without a foundation of fact. After that there is your imagination, all your experience, and finally you create something not the least like the original. But there was an original there, the kernel. That anyone can create so complicated a thing as a human being entirely out of his head I don't believe. But there is a great difference between that and making a portrait in words of someone.

"It's a curious fact," he said, "that when people look for themselves in your books they only profess to recognize those who are not the finest characters. It suggests to me that we know our friends by their defects, rather than by their virtues."



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Hines Mistrial Denied After Court Flare-up

Dewey Suggests Capshaw Put Police Informant on Spot

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 17.—District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey capped a long and acid cross-examination today with the suggestion that City Magistrate Hulon Capshaw, a defense witness in the second policy racket trial of James J. Hines, might have wanted to have a police informer "murdered."

Capshaw cried out an angry denial and defense lawyers shouted a demand for a mistrial, which Judge Charles C. Nott, jr., quickly denied.

Charges Hines' Influence

The district attorney has been attempting to show Capshaw had been influenced improperly by Hines who is accused of being the hired political protector for the Dutch Schultz policy racket, to deal lightly with policy game offenders.

The specific case involved in the cross-examination was that of "Lulu" Rosenkranz, a Schultz gunman, arrested on charges of possession of policy slips in 1933 and subsequently freed by Capshaw.

Among reasons assigned by the magistrate for his action was that he did not trust the arresting officer. He had asked them why they did not bring into court at the time the "stool pigeon" who had put them upon Rosenkranz' trail.

"Don't you know police don't bring their sources of information into court?" asked Dewey.

"No, I don't," said Capshaw.

Mistrial Denied

"Isn't it a fact," Dewey then asked, "that the reason you wanted this information in court was so that you could have him destroyed because he was endangering the Dutch Schultz Banks?"

Capshaw leaned forward to shout a negative.

"Did you want this police informant murdered?" Dewey thundered.

"No!" cried Capshaw.

In denying the shouted motion of Lloyd Paul Stryker, chief of defense, for a mistrial, on the claim the question was designed "to connect a member of the judiciary with a murder," Judge Nott remarked the answer of the witness was the important thing.

Funds for TVA Dams Restored By Senators

Committee Puts Back Cut by House for Three Projects

The New Deal scored a victory in the rebellious Senate Appropriations Committee yesterday when funds for bitterly contested TVA dams were approved.

Slashes in TVA funds inflicted in a surprise Republican attack in the House were restored as the Senate committee voted a total of $17,203,000 to continue construction of the Gilbertsville Dam in Kentucky, to commence work on the Watts Bar Dam in Tennessee, and to make preliminary surveys for a dam site at Coulter Shoals, Tenn.

The battle revolved chiefly about the Watts Bar Dam, which was approved, 13-11, by a curtailed Democratic majority plus two essential Republican votes. Opposition Senators said the attack was centered on the $4,252,000 appropriation for Watts Bar because the project had not yet been started and would involve an eventual total expenditure of $35,000,000.

Funds for Gilbertsville

The $12,503,000 appropriation for Gilbertsville, on the other hand, was indorsed by an 18-6 vote. "Economy" Senators, such as Senator Glass, chairman of the committee, maintained that the dam might as well be completed, since more than $5,000,000 already has been appropriated for the structure. It will cost $95,000,000 eventually.

The Senate action in increasing the House appropriation for TVA raised the total recommended for the agency to $39,003,000. That sum will permit continued construction of the Pickwick Landing, Guntersville, Chickamauga and Hiawassee dams.

The $1,898,000,000 independent offices appropriations bill, of which the TVA items were only one section, was reported out to the Senate immediately after the Appropriations Committee meeting.

Although the Senate had been expressly convened yesterday to receive the committee's bill, immediate consideration was blocked by Senator King (Democrat), of Utah. The bill will be taken up Monday, when a sharp fight on the TVA provisions is expected.

Senator Adams, of Colorado, Democratic member of the Appropriations Committee, and Senator King both have stated they will fight the new dam. King told The Post that "if we don't check these tendencies, we'll be going down the road to rampant state socialism."

Majority Leader Barkley, on the other hand, indicated that a floor fight would be made to give FHA the right to use its reserve fund.

The Watts Bar Dam, for which Senator McKellar made personal appeals to other members of the committee, was assured by a switch in the vote of Senator Holman, freshman Republican from Oregon.

Holman Switches Vote

Thursday, a motion in the committee to strike out the contested provisions, which had been added to the House bill by the Senate subcommittee, was defeated on a tie vote. Senator Holman voted against TVA by proxy. Yesterday, when the question before the committee was approval of the amendments, a tie vote would have killed the proposal. This time, Holman appeared in person to vote for the dams.

Asserting he had not reversed his own opinion, Holman explained to The Post yesterday that when he gave a Republican colleague his proxy Thursday, he did not know exactly what questions were involved. He said that when he learned just what was at issue, he determined to register approval of the dams.

"I understand these matters of flood control," he said. "We have similar problems in Oregon—on the Columbia, in the Willamette Valley and elsewhere." Holman added that "my whole background is one of favoring public development of hydroelectric projects."

Among the items in the independent offices bill is an appropriation of $2,000,000 for the Thomas Jefferson Memorial. No opposition to this provision is expected on the floor.

Cards Aid in War on Insects

The photographs above of reproductions of post cards which Senator Adams (Democrat), of Colorado, gives his visitors to show what the grasshopper situation may become if something isn't done to wipe out the pests. They may become big enough to ride, stop a train, or pull a plow. A deficiency bill, which provides $5,417,000 to fight insects will be held today

On Capitol Hill

Schwellenbach Receives 'Congratulations' After Rumor He's to Get Court Vacancy

By the Associated Press.

Always a bit on edge whenever there's a vacancy on the Supreme Court, the Senate quivered with brief excitement yesterday when several members rushed up to shake hands with Senator Schwellenbach (Democrat), of Washington.

Senator Schwellenbach

There had been a similar demonstration when former Senator Hugo L. Black was appointed to the high bench, and some onlookers jumped to the conclusion Schwellenbach had been appointed to succeed Associate Justice Louis D. Brandeis, who retired earlier this week.

Some Senators, seeing others congratulating Schwellenbach, believed he had been appointed.

Senator Truman (Democrat), of Missouri, said he and others had merely been joshing Schwellenbach about a statement by Representative Smith (Democrat), of Washington, that Smith had "inside information" the Washington Senator would get the court appointment.

Dr. John R. Neal, of Knoxville, renewed his effort to unseat Senator Stewart (Democrat), Tennessee, who defeated him in the Tennessee election last November.

A new petition, filed at Vice President Garner's office, will be referred to the Senate Elections Committee which recently gave Neal until yesterday to amplify charges in his original petition.

Neal charged more than $250,000 was spent in behalf of Stewart's candidacy.

The Senate Finance Committee agreed to conduct public hearings, starting Tuesday, on the House-approved bill for reciprocal taxation of salaries of Federal and State employes.

Senator Mead (Democrat), New York, proposed that the Government solve its surplus cotton problem by having the cotton manufactured into clothing and other goods for relief distribution. He suggested surplus cotton now under Government loans be furnished to manufacturers of corduroy and other cotton goods at current market prices. The Government would pay the manufacturers for the goods at current rates.

He said the manufactured goods could be disposed of through the WPA, the Red Cross, local relief agencies, the CCC, or to disaster sufferers.

Representative Allen (Democrat), of Pennsylvania, proposed that Congress empower the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to to insure loans made by banks to small business enterprises for the purpose of increasing production, extending operations, or modernizing plants.

He said Senator Mead (Democrat), of New York, would join him in introducing legislation to carry out the proposal.

Allen said the bill would provide for insurance of loans up to $200,000 each, to be amortized over a period not exceeding seven years.

Monopoly Unit To Survey Building Costs

U. S. Studies Plan To Cut Outlays For Production

By the Associated Press.

Department of Justice officials disclosed yesterday the anti-trust division is conducting a broad survey to see whether action can be taken to reduce the cost of home building.

Thurman W. Arnold, head of the division, said he had worked out a procedure to attack illegal combinations in building. Details of the action, he said, are not yet complete. He added that one of the principal difficulties is lack of enough lawyers in his division to operate on the required scale.

Arnold explained his program is directed at breaking down the price-structure generally "rather than at the uncovering of individual misconduct."

As part of his campaign, Arnold said he had conferred at length with Prentiss L. Coonley, executive chairman of the business advisory council of the Department of Commerce. The council includes representatives of major building and building supply companies.

Survey of High Prices

"The business advisory council," Arnold said, "has been most helpful in giving an understanding of anti-trust policies to businessmen. Particularly in the building field is this necessary."

Meanwhile, George Comer, head of the Justice Department's economic section, said his division has been making a general survey of building materials and labor costs. It was explained the purpose is to determine whether unlawful "bottlenecks" or trade restrictions have been keeping building materials at artificially high prices.

It was authoritatively stated that complaints in the Justice Department's files indicate existence of combinations which make for rigid prices in the building materials field.

Arnold said a major difficulty confronting the anti-trust department is that no single industry supplying home building products can substantially affect the price of homes as finally built.

"This creates a situation where the individual industry is powerless. Only Government pressure can tie up various conflicting problems so that practical action, working toward a concerted price drop, is possible," he said.

Labor Deal Cited

Sporadic enforcement of anti-trust laws, he asserted, "could have no economic consequences." He said he hoped to continue investigations "until such time as large scale enforcement can be undertaken."

One high anti-trust official cited a "typical" complaint about a practice which, he said, has resulted in excessively high prices for building materials. A distributor of home equipment had been unable to get contractors to install his product, although it had been priced lower than competing products. The contractors, it was alleged, refused to make the installations because of agreements with labor unions.

Pending investigation of this complaint, the Department of Justice is unable to disclose either the name of the manufacturer or the product, an official said.

Mutual Hearing Ends

Congressional Monopoly Committee hearings on the amount of "mutuality" in the direction of the mutual life insurance companies were terminated yesterday with the observation of Democrat Senators (Democrat), of Texas, acting chairman of the committee, that even if policyholders had the power to control the management of their companies, "I am not certain they could wisely exercise it."

Campaign Opened To Reduce WPA Accident Toll

A campaign to lower the accident rate among 3,000,000 workers on WPA rolls was announced yesterday by Col. Harrington, administrator.

Announcing award of a trophy each month to the State administration showing the greatest improvement in its safety record, Col. Harington reported that 1,336 WPA enrollees have lost their lives since July, 1935, while 170,002 injuries have been reported.

Three deaths and 583 injuries have been reported by the District WPA administration, he said.

Andrews Decrees Experimental Homework Rules

By the United Press.

Wage-Hour Administrator Andrews last night promulgated more stringent regulations governing the keeping of industrial homework records which he said "will at least test the practicability of this kind of control of industrial homework."

Faced with an increasing amount of homework, Andrews said the new regulations which become effective March 15 for a six months' trial, may "perhaps answer the question whether we can enforce the provisions of the fair labor standards act as it now stands with respect to work of this nature."

In his first annual report to Congress last month, Andrews said it may be necessary to prohibit homework if regulation fails.

'Modernized' Army Reserve Asked By Woodring

By the Associated Press.

Secretary Woodring said last night that the gradual passing of American veterans of the World War made necessary the "modernization" of the Army's reserve forces.

Of 127,000 active commissioned officers in the Regular Army, National Guard and Organized Reserves, "less than 22 per cent have seen service in time of war," Woodring told the Reserve Officers Association of the United States.

He expressed apprehension that in the attention given the Administration's $552,000,000 arms program there would be "misunderstanding" of problems of reserve training.

Norman C. Kal Elected Head Of Amity Club

For the first time in its history, the Amity Club has elected a former president to that office. He is Norman C. Kal, head of the advertising agency which bears his name.

The meeting, at the Hamilton Hotel, opened with dinner at which the retiring president, Dr. Sylvan Danzansky, presided.

Other new officers are Eli Rubin, first vice president; Harold Brody, second vice president; Ben Madden, treasurer; Barney Robins, financial secretary; Milton Dunn, recording secretary; Lew Brown, sergeant at arms.

Chi Upsilon to Meet

Miss Grace Johnson will discuss mountain climbing at a meeting of the Epsilon chapter of Chi Upsilon, national geological sorority for women, at George Washington University, Monday, following a dinner of the club of the American Association of University Women.

RFC Extension May Stir New Row On Foreign Policy

By the Associated Press.

Proposed extension of the RFC and its affiliates for another two years appeared likely yesterday to precipitate another row in the House next week over foreign policy.

Representative Wolcott (Republican), of Michigan, told the House Rules Committee an attempt would be made when the RFC measures come up for debate Monday to abolish the Export-Import Bank.

Wolcott said the bank's loan to China had "stultified" the neutrality act and raised anew the question of whether this country should make loans to belligerents.

3 From District To Attend Va. Palestine Parley

Rabbi Isadore Breslau, Louis E. Spiegler and Isadore Hershfield, all Washingtonians, are among the Jewish leaders slated to address the gathering of Seaboard Zionists and United Palestine Appeal forces in Richmond today and tomorrow.

Meeting at the John Marshall Hotel, delegates will receive latest reports on developments in Palestine, and on the London Round Table Conference between Jewish and Arab representatives.

Spiegler, regional vice president, will preside over the cultural program tonight. Rabbi Breslau will address the luncheon tomorrow when quotas and campaign technique will be discussed.

U. S. Outgo Now Past '39 Income

By the Associated Press.

The Treasury said yesterday it spent more in the first seven and a half months of the fiscal year than it expected to take in for the whole year, which will end June 30.

Spending from last July 1 to February 15 totaled $5,616,760,015, or $90,000,000 more than estimated receipts for the year.

Receipts in the period amounted to only $3,542,601,869, causing a deficit of $2,074,158,146. If expenditures reach $9,492,000,000 by June 30, as expected, the deficit then will be $4,000,000,000.

New System Found To Test Heart Inflammation

A new method of diagnosing active inflammation of the heart in rheumatic fever patients was reported yesterday by the United States Public Health Service.

By taking a sample of blood and subjecting it to what has been termed the formol-gel test, it can be determined within 24 hours whether the inflammation has been arrested or is still present. Dr. Mark P. Schultz and Edythe J. Rose, the latter an associate bacteriologist, developed the new test.

If a drop of formaldehyde solution is added to a small amount of blood serum from the patient and no change takes place in the liquid during the next 24 hours, evidence is provided that activity of the disease has subsided.

Murphy Plans Talk on Radio

"Internal Protection" will be the topic of Attorney General Murphy's first radio address since his appointment to the Cabinet, to be heard at 7 p. m. tomorrow over the N. B. C. Blue Network.

The address, third in a series sponsored by the United States New York World's Fair Commission, is devoted to one of the 12 themes of the Government exhibit at the fair.

Shoe Company Accused Of Breaking Wage Act

Boston, Feb. 17 (AP).—Joseph E. Brill, special Assistant Attorney General, arrived today from Washington to prosecute what he said was the first case in the country of alleged criminal violation of the wage and hours act.

The firm accused, he said, was a Lawrence shoe company, charged with failing to pay the minimum wage and with falsification of records.

Scientist Predicts Migration to Poles

Philadelphia, Feb. 17 (AP).—A world-wide mass migration toward the North and South Poles when the sun cools and the earth grows hotter was predicted today by Dr. Henry Norris Russell, director of the Princeton University Observatory.

This will not happen for millions of years, he said in an address before the American Philosophical Society, but it appears certain to happen, because the earth's surface at the Equator will become about the temperature of a household furnace and only the Arctic and Antarctic will be cool enough for habitation.

Hooper Speaks Tonight

The art of cartooning will be described tonight at a meeting of the Boys' Club of Goodwill Industries at 1218 New Hampshire avenue northwest. Edward F. Hooper, of the Washington Animated Cartoon School, will demonstrate the "Disney technique."

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Road to Skirt Gravelly Point Approved

Planning Board Also Backs Acquisition of Land for Stadium

The National Capital Park and Planning Commission yesterday approved rerouting of the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway to permit maximum development of Gravelly Point municipal airport and indorsed condemnation of all remaining unimproved land within the site of the proposed stadium near the foot of East Capitol street.

The first item involves relocation of a 1-mile strip of highway between Four Mile Run and Roaches Run, the other gives the "go" signal for condemnation proceedings by the Department of Justice to acquire the only tract in the proposed stadium site not Government owned.

According to Thomas S. Settle, secretary of the planning body, the plans submitted yesterday by the Civil Aeronautics Authority and other agencies co-operating in the airport development program call for relocating the one-mile section several hundred yards westward.

Can Extend Buildings

The strip lies between Roaches Run on the north and Four Mile Run on the south. Its closing would permit extension of airport hangars and other structures—not runways, however—westward beyond the present highway.

Settle said the substitute would not interfere in any way with the National Park Service wildfowl sanctuary at Roaches Run or the testing laboratories of the Bureau of Public Roads recently erected at Abingdon, a short distance southward.

The plans, he declared, were prepared co-operatively by the CAA, Procurement Division of the Treasury, Army Engineers Corps, PWA, WPA, Bureau of Public Roads and National Park Service. No act of Congress will be required to effect the rerouting, he asserted.

Maj. Gen. Julian L. Schley, chief of Army Engineers and an ex-officio member of the commission, and Col. R. S. Thomas, District engineer, led the discussion of the highway alteration scheme.

Earlier in the day the commission, presided over by Chairman Frederic A. Delano, took action toward furtherance of the proposed stadium-armory-sport center project on the banks of the Anacostia River; approved studies on the widening of Third street northwest in the Municipal Center area; approved location of the new Freedmen's Hospital tuberculosis annex south of the main hospital building, and considered various other projected developments.

It was estimated that acquisition of the tract in the stadium site will save the Government $165,000, since plans were well under way to build 17 row houses on the land. Building permits for six of the houses have already been issued

Stadium Not Certain

The cost of buying the property after it had been developed by private enterprise would have been almost prohibitive, officials said.

There is no assurance that a stadium will be erected in Washington, or if it is, that it will go on the site designated by the planning body. However, the area could then be used for a recreation center or some other purpose.

In connection with the same general project, the planners reiterated their recommendation of the East Capitol street area, near the waterfront, for development of a National Guard Armory and sports center.

Approval was given plans to landscape the street car terminal zone at Commodore Barney Circle, near the western approach to Pennsylvania Avenue Bridge. The commission indorsed a request by the Alley Dwelling Authority to initiate condemnation proceedings for a certain site, location undisclosed; reported progress in zoning discussions with Fairfax County and Alexandria, and approved the revised recreation plan submitted by Lewis R. Barrett, co-ordinator of recreation.

Salvation Army Regional Head to Speak at Parley

Lieut. Commissioner Ernest I. Pugmire, Salvation Army commander in the District and Southern States, will speak at the divisional young people's conference, which opens today at the Salvation Army Temple Corps Auditorium, 606 E street northwest.

A group discussion of "Life Preparation" will open the conference. A pageant, "So Pilate Washed His Hands," will feature a youth demonstration at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. Pugmire will speak on "Life Consecration" at 10 a. m. Sunday and on "Life Service" at a gathering at 2:30 p. m. Members of the Washington division will assemble at 8 p. m. for music and singing at a public salvation meeting.

Police Boys Club To Be Entertained At Eastern High

Members of the Metropolitan Police Boys Club will be entertained this morning at Eastern High School with a program arranged by the group's women's auxiliary.

Gordon Hittenmark, N. B. C. radio commentator, will act as master of ceremonies. The club's forthcoming drive for $75,000 will be outline by James E. Colliflower, president. Maj. Ernest W. Brown, police superintendent, will greet the boys and the uniformed club band will furnish music.

The program, including comedy acts and skits, was arranged by Miss Mae Helm, auxiliary president; Miss Elizabeth Howry and Mrs. Goodwin Rhett, jr.

Forum to Hear Fendrich

Dr. J. Lowrey Fendrich, jr., Metropolitan Presbyterian cleric, will address the opening Saturday afternoon luncheon forum of the Washington Institute of Arts and Sciences at 1 p. m. today at 1703 K street northwest.

Opera, Halted by Union Row, May Reopen With Artists' Aid

Post Staff Photo.

A. Conti Berenguer is shown telephoning friends concerning a future presentation of the opera, "Manon Lescaut," which was postponed at Constitution Hall Thursday night because union musicians demanded pay in advance. With him is Sarah Bours, in a brief moment when no disappointed opera-goer appeared for a refund

Singers Willing to Pay Part of Costs, They Tell Government Clerk-Manager Who Has No Backing but His Own Salary

The opera "Manon Lescaut" which Washingtonians failed to hear at Constitution Hall Thursday night because the orchestra refused to play, will be given in the near future despite all difficulties.

This statement was made yesterday by A. Conti Berenguer, manager, who is employed by the government, as a procession of disappointed opera lovers appeared for ticket refunds. It is likely that, in efforts to economize, the same tickets will be used for the promised performance.

Few Washingtonians apparently realized financial responsibility for the four nights of opera planned this week, was assumed by Berenguer with no greater backing than his salary as a Government employe.

Son of Manuel Berenguer, former flutist with Mme. Galli-Curci, and Mme. Amelia Conti, former solo harpist with the Metropolitan, 30-year-old Berenguer loves opera, and believes Washington loves it, too. So far, however, no "angels" have come forward to assume part of the risk of presenting it in the Nation's Capital with the exception of some of the artists themselves.

No angel was needed, Berenguer explained yesterday, until labor union rules of which he was not aware came into the picture and raised his costs. Performances of "The Barber of Seville" and "Rigoletto" given in 1937 under the management of Berenguer and his mother, were a financial success.

A nonunion designer, he explained yesterday, drew the scenery for this week's performance. But the union carpenters and painters objected to their being designed by a nonunion man. Before the matter was straightened out, scenery costs had doubled, precious time had been wasted and promotional work neglected.

In consequence, on Thursday night there was not enough cash to pay the orchestra in advance. They left for New York. There was no opera. Artists from the Metropolitan, from the Chicago Civic Opera and concert singers who had participated in preceding performances were slightly satiric about the whole situation.

It is partly because of the artists' regard for their own art, Berenguer discovered yesterday, he may expect some help in presenting the opera many Washingtonians had looked forward to Thursday night.

Frederick Jagel, of the Metropolitan, for example, who appeared here Wednesday in Lohengrin, assured the young manager he is willing to help finance the performance of Manon. He is also willing to play in it as well. The co-operation of Lucy Monroe, Josesph Bentonelli and Pompilo Malatesta was also reported to be assured as soon as dates can be arranged.

In fact, it developed last night that had Jagel known of Berenguer's union difficulties Thursday before the performance instead of afterward, he would have been willing to advance the money. The trouble was, he didn't know.

Berenguer's efforts were divided yesterday between paying refunds on tickets, some from his own resources, and efforts to raise a loan to meet the total deficit caused by Thursday's failure.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown.

Norman Frauenheim gives his second lecture-recital on the evolution of piano music Friday morning in the Arts Club auditorium. Program of compositions by Frescobaldi, Kerl, Kuhnau, Handel and Bach.

Continuing his survey of keyboard music, Norman Frauenheim gave consideration yesterday to several predecessors of Bach and made a beginning on the extensive subject of Bach himself. Having passed in review last week the composers for virginal, spinet and harpsichord, he selected most of his material this time from arrangements of organ music which had an important influence upon the development of the pianoforte as an instrument of stronger tonal power.

His illustrations included a fugue by Girolamo Frescobaldi, a canzone in fugal form by Johann Kaspar von Kerl, a prelude by Johann Kuhnau, the predecessor of Bach in Leipzig; a chaconne by Handel, and Bach's Chromatic Fantasia and Fugue. Since most pianists who play anything by Kuhnau usually choose his "David and Goliath" sonata, it was refreshing to hear Mr. Frauenheim speak of the "Gideon's Fleece" sonata instead, and to remark that the descriptive problem which did not worry Kuhnau in the least was one that would baffle Richard Strauss.

Kerl's delightful canzone, he pointed out, has the same theme as the procession of the knights in "Parsifal," showing that Wagner was not scrupulous about borrowing without acknowledgment. Handel's chaconne in G was analyzed by the lecturer to illustrate the effects produced by inversion of the theme and alteration of the rhythm.

Mr. Frauenheim's informal discussions are interesting because of his readiness in allusions to the other arts, as when he compared the long musical phrases in classical oratorio and opera to the prose style of Pater or Proust. He is never at a loss for an illustration to make his point clear. There is, however, no informality in his playing, which is always technically assured and intellectually controlled. His performance of the Chromatic Fantasia and Fugue was notable for its clarity and its dynamic resources.

Reprinted From Yesterday's Final Edition.

Gertrude Clarke Whittall Foundation in the Library of Congress presents the Roth String Quartet (Feri Roth, Jeno Anatal, Ferenc Molnar and Janos Scholz) in Coolidge Auditorium Thursday night. Program: Quartet in B flat major, Op. 34, No. 2 (Baillot), Duo for violin and viola, K. V. 423 (Mozart), Quartet in E flat major, Op. 74 (Beethoven).

Once again four of the Stradivari instruments presented to the Library of Congress by Mrs. Gertrude Clarke Whittall sounded in the Coolidge auditorium last evening when Feri Roth, Jene Antal, Ferenc Molnar and Janos Scholz played the first of a series of four concerts scheduled for the current fortnight. The hall was, as usual, filled with auditors appreciative not only of the music but also of the generosity of the donor whose foresight in providing a foundation fund makes these concerts available to the public for the asking.

The program began with the first performance in this country of a delightful quartet in B flat major by Pierre Marie Francois de Sales Baillot, a distinguished French violin virtuoso who died in 1842. It is to Mrs. Whittall that one is indebted for the hearing of the work, for it was she who suggested its introduction to an American audience. She has in her possession the scores of the three quartets which constitute Baillot's Opus 34, as well as the Tourte bow which he used during most of his career.

Baillot was a child prodigy whose talent was kept from public demonstration and carefully trained in Paris and in Rome. Through Viotti's influence, he obtained at the age of 20 a position in a Paris theater where his excellence became evident. Four years later, in 1795, he was appointed a professor of violin in the newly founded conservatoire; in 1802 he became a member of Napoleon's private band, and under the succeeding regime he was concertmaster of the Paris Opera for a decade. He was esteemed as the head of the French school of violinists and as admirable quartet leader, winning in the latter capacity the praise of Mendelssohn and Spohr.

If music reveals the character of its composer, Baillot must have been a pleasant person, for his B flat quartet is full of geniality and amiable discourse. The technical skill of the writing is masked by its grace and melodic charm. There is evidence, not in imitation but in certain turns of phrase, that Baillot was thoroughly familiar with Beethoven's quartets. A touch of Beethoven-like humor, for example, occurs in the minuet movement, which seems to make several false starts before getting into its pace.

The opening allegro has a lively wit and a piquancy of statement in the themes, while the andante develops a vein of true poetic meditation. The concluding presto is marked by drollery in the presentation of the principal theme over the simulated drone of the musette.

Another novelty, if not a first performance on this side of the Atlantic, was Mozart's duo for violin and viola which stands in Koechel's catalogue as No. 423. Its three movements contain some of the happiest music that came from that gifted pen, a blending of two voices in joyous communion. The reading by Feri Roth and Ferenc Molnar was marked by finesse and by the loveliest violin tone that one has heard for a long time. The program closed with Beethoven's E flat major quartet, Op. 74.

Symphony Campaign Lag Causes Alarm

Only $55,499 Pledged of $111,000 Sought; Drive Ends Wednesday

Not quite to the halfway mark in their drive for a $111,000 sustaining fund, National Symphony Orchestra campaign leaders viewed with "some mild alarm" yesterday the result of their first six days' efforts.

Two hundred and fifty volunteer workers reported a total of $55,499.13 in cash or pledges at a luncheon in the Carlton Hotel. Of this amount, a little more than $4,000 had been obtained since the last report meeting Tuesday.

Oversubscribed Last Year

Pointing out that the campaign was lagging behind last year's drive by about $10,000, William B. McClellan, president of the National Symphony Orchestra Association urged an immediate campaign speedup. Harold Brooks, a member of the association's board of directors, expressed the hope that workers would not take a campaign victory for granted "because of our great success last year."

Last year's goal of $103,000 was oversubscribed.

Edgar Morris Speaks

Speakers at yesterday's luncheon included Lawrence E. Williams, vice president of the Washington Board of Trade, and Edgar Morris, chairman of that board's Greater National committee.

Olga Samaroff Stokowski, Philadelphia music lecturer, will speak at the next luncheon Monday. The campaign is scheduled to close on Wednesday.

Miss Keith to Speak

Miss Alice Keith, director of the Institute of Social Arts, will speak tonight at 8:15 on "The Gentle Art of Broadcasting" at the League for the Larger Life, 1414 Sixteenth street northwest.

To Sing at Community Center

Sylvia Rosner, coloratura soprano, who will appear Monday night at the Jewish Community Center's thirteenth anniversary celebration. She has appeared with the Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra

Marriage Is Annulled For Kentucky Girl, 11

Prestonsburg, Ky., Feb. 17 (AP).—Rosie Columbus, Kentucky's 11-year-old mountain child bride, today was free of her marriage ties with 34-year-old Flem Tackett, a coal miner.

Annulment proceedings filed by County Attorney Forrest D. Short were approved by Circuit Judge John W. Caudill, who restored Rosie's maiden name. The girl is now in the home for the feeble minded at Frankfort.

Miss LaMarr's Ex-Mate Sues for Heart Balm

Los Angeles, Feb. 17 (AP).—Court records disclosed today that Margaret La Marr, screen actress, obtained a divorce yesterday from George T. Penberthy, singer, on the same day that Penberthy brought suit for $150,000 lost love damages against Victor E. Dalton, radio and loan company executive.

Miss La Marr won the decree without contest on the ground of extreme cruelty.

Pedestrians to Be Told Kindly

"I beg your pardon, madam, but would you please step back on the curb and wait for the light—as a good pedestrian should?"

Don't be surprised if this is the way you are approached by a policeman after pedestrian control laws become effective March 10. A special politeness order went out yesterday requiring police officers to do everything except doff their caps while enforcing the new regulations.

Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen issued the special instructions upon recommendations from Maj. Ernest W. Brown, police superintendent. Arrests, under the order, will be made only in "extreme" cases and courtesy and protection will be stressed above control and regulation.

The order, addressed to precinct commanders read in part:

"In a most courteous manner you will endeavor to obtain from the public an observance of this regulation and to impress upon the public the importance of compliance, not in the sense of control, but protection in the interest of safety."

Two Men Fined In Coal Smuggling

Judge John P. McMahon yesterday found two men guilty of "smuggling coal" into the District and fined them $50 each.

Two days ago Policeman Roy Cunningham, of the Traffic Division, noticed men unloading coal near Second and T streets northeast. They did not have a coal dealer's license.

Yesterday Judge McMahon told the men, Otis H. Lester, 29, and Howard T. Kenney, 21, both of Alexandria, Va., he hoped a $50 fine would teach them to obtain licenses before trying to compete with local dealers.

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French Got No Secrets, Army Reports

Defense

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Utah, introduced a Senate bill to combine the activities of Army, Navy and Air Corps into one department of national defense.

Chairman Vinson's report to the House on the Naval base bill explained the $5,000,000 to be spent on harbor improvements at Guam and stated: "It can be said that there is no provision to fortify Guam, as has been widely and incorrectly understood."

The published transcript of Wednesday's plane sale hearings before the Senate Military affairs committee disclosed in detail the military contacts with the French mission and the final intervention in the mission's behalf by the President himself.

In answer to Senator Clark (Democrat), of Missouri, on authority for the mission's inspection of the special type bombers, Assistant Secretary of War Louis Johnson told the committee:

"The authorization to Secretary Woodring and myself was by the President of the United States in a conference at the White House."

Johnson said that at a later conference between himself, Secretary Woodring and Maj Gen. Malin F. Craig, Army chief of staff, "it was agreed that I should handle the matter and treat it as routine, as we would treat any other foreign purchase."

Arnold Tells of Protest

Earlier, Maj. Gen. H. H. Arnold, chief of the Army Air Corps, testified he protested to the Secrtary of War against giving the French mission access to demonstrations at the Douglass plant. He said he protested because the action did not conform to the joint release policy of the Army and Navy governing sale of war products developed here to foreign powers.

Arnold said he then was called into conference by Secretary Woodring, and added, "I believe there was a memorandum signed by the Secretary of War," stating the War Department's position to the Treasury Procurement Division which was handling the French mission negotiations.

Asked by Clark if he believed such foreign plane sales would interfere with this country's own plane production schedule, Arnold said:

"It would not interfere if carried out in accordance with the numbers as represented that the French wished to procure. It was also brought out in the conference that the authorized orders would be so arranged that it would not interfere with our production."

Replies to Minton

When Senator Minton (Democrat), of Indiana, asked if he meant "the French would have to get out of our way" when this country needed to build planes, Arnold said:

"That is the understanding I had, sir."

Testimony disclosed that Arnold later sent the order authorizing the French inspection at the Douglass California plant. As it was sent by Arnold, the mission was granted permission to inspect the bombing plane "less secret accessories." But as received by Maj. K. B. Wolfe, in charge at the plant, the word "less" had been dropped and Wolfe understood there were no restrictions on secrets.

Capt. Sydney M. Kraus, Navy officer assigned to co-operate with the mission through the procurement division, said the word "less" also was omitted from his copy of Wolfe's order, but insisted no "secrets" were revealed.

Kraus told of accompanying the French mission on its inspection of the plane and said: "I saw nothing in that examination that in any respect would compromise anything I believe the military services would want to keep.

"There might or might not have been a few simple flight instruments the bomber would have needed to use, but in no sense anything that is restricted or that has not been sold by the thousand, I guess, all over the world"

Bomber Interested Them

Arnold previously testified that an airplane was a secret "only up to the point it goes out on the airdrome and starts to fly." He said from photographs of a plane, taken with a telephoto lens, it was possible to figure "the actual performance of that plane, no matter how secret we want to make it."

Capt. Kraus said he was assigned to work with the mission, through the procurement division, on December 18, and shortly afterward "they displayed an interest in the Douglass light bomber, of which they manifestly had knowledge."

Kraus said his first step was to determine the "delivery capabilities" on this type of plane, so the French mission would not be shown anything except planes they would purchase.

Feared "Fishing Expedition"

He said this safeguard was taken because "if everything were thrown open to them, the mission might degenerate from a purchasing expedition to a mere fishing expedition." To have done otherwise, he said, "would have exposed everything we had merely for, you might say, a circus exhibition in many cases."

The Navy captain said he ended his assignment at the Procurement Division Wednesday, and within his knowledge no other military office had been assigned to take his place.

Admiral W. D. Leahy, Chief of Naval Operations, was questioned by the committee on Aeronautical Board policies formulated last June 13 governing "release" of aircraft or equipment for domestic or foreign sale.

Leahy said he interpreted the policy to mean that articles being developed in whole or in part for War or Navy department use could not be "released" without consultation with the Aeronautical Board.

Asked if he could prevent the industry "from going ahead and making sales in spite of your protest," Leahy said:

"I think there are means of preventing sale by industry of any naval equipment which we believe should not be disposed of."

Johnson and Arnold later were asked if the Aeronautical Board had been consulted about the French plane sale, and said so far as they knew it had not been consulted nor had it "released" the planes.

The Senate Military Affairs Committee spent the entire morning yesterday in conference with the Ambassador to Germany.

Wilson had been invited before the committee on motion of Senator Bridges (Republican), of New Hampshire, who "suspected," he said, that Wilson's views did not coincide with the picture of the European crisis recently painted in secret session by Ambassador to England Kennedy and Ambassador to France Bullitt.

Strict secrecy measures were taken by the committee, with office attaches barred from the room during testimony. Senator Downey (Democrat), of California, moved that Wilson not be asked "embarrassing" questions, but his motion was withdrawn.

Wilson was said to have been pressed for his views on the prospects of war, and points in the Kennedy-Bullitt testimony, but reputedly asked to be excused from answers on the ground they would embarrass him in his official role.

"I believed we should hear all sides of the story, but I was as much in the dark as ever when the hearing closed," said Bridges.

U. S. Not Covetous

"The hearing was secret, but I can say that nothing was said which further enlightened me on either the German or European situations."

Chairman Vinson's report on the new naval base bill, filed with the House last night following committee approval, declared this Nation does not "covet one foot of soil of any other nation. The purpose of this program is to insure that no covetous nation shall secure a foot of ours."

Only one "no" vote was cast in the House committee against the $53,800,000 naval base program—that of Representative Shannon (Democrat), of Missouri. Shannon said he opposed the bill "because Guam is in there, and that base is going to take you into another world war."

Vinson said he would ask a separate vote in the House "on the momentous question of doing a little cobble work at Guam."

The Guam improvements have been under fire because of the island's proximity to Japan, but the Navy has contended throughout that it contemplates no "fortification." The $5,000,000 authorized for the island would be used to build a breakwater, to dredge the harbor to provide access for ships and seaplanes, and to build seaplane ramps and parking space and a small power plant.

Regarding these, the Vinson report said, "The improvements contemplated are no more than is done year after year by this country in improving our harbors so as to make them safe and tenable under all conditions for surface vessels as well as for aircraft."

Provisions Listed

Stricken from the bill as reported was $15,171,000 for a naval air base near Jacksonville, Fla. Vinson said this base will be authorized in a later bill after further consideration of other Southeastern sites, including Miami.

Provisions of the bill authorize $5,800,000 for an operating base at Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, $5,350,000 for a secondary air base at Midway Island; $2,000,000 for air facilities at Wake Island; $1,150,000 for Johston Island; $1,110,000 for Palmyra Island; $8,750,000 for Kodiak, Alaska; $2,900,000 for Sitka, Alaska; $9,300,000 for San Juan, Puerto Rico; $1,500,000 for Tongue Point, Oreg., and $2,800,000 for Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

The bill would authorize $1,800,000 for construction of an aircraft engine laboratory at Philadelphia; authorize $500,000 for acquisition of land at the Hampton Roads, Va., air base and authorize a $5,850,000 expansion of the Pensacola, Fla., naval training base.

"Do Not Seek War"

The committee's report concluded that "no other nation can logically object to any nation improving the purely technical defense facilities of its own land unless that other nation should have aggressive designs on the territory defended.

"We do not seek war with anyone. We do not intend to get entangled in any alien quarrels. As a Democratic people we are a peaceful people. We respect the rights of other nations. We expect other nations to respect our rights."

Attempt on Duce's Life Confirmed

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Official Rome yesterday confirmed reports an attempt had been made to take the life of Premier Mussolini. This most recent picture of Il Duce shows him on the airport at Naples where he paid a flying visit

Commissioners Will Prepare Own Reorganization Plan

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sented its findings but nothing was done about them.

The commissioners would not reveal what the extent of their action would be, but said they would attend the forthcoming Congressional hearings on reorganization, and at that time present their own scheme.

Meanwhile, Senator Capper revealed he intends to introduce a bill next week calling for a school board elected by District residents. He added, however, if the independence of the board could be maintained in any general reorganization move, he would not insist on a separate measure.

The Board of Education is presently named by the District judges. Under the Griffenhagen plan, the board would become a mere advisory body with most of its powers clipped.

Representatives of E. O. Griffenhagen & Associates, Chicago governmental experts who conducted the latest survey, appeared before a special Board of Trade committee, headed by Joseph C. McGarraghy and including 17 subcommittee chairmen.

"Our discussions did not reach the argument stage," McGarraghy said last night, "but were merely to acquaint ourselves more thoroughly with the plan provisions."

The 17 sub-committees will each study the report and compile suggestions, McGarraghy declared.

Senator King yesterday urged speedy consideration of the reorganization proposals "if we expect to get anywhere this session." He expressed doubt there was any "formidable" opposition to basic provisions of the Griffenhagen scheme and said he would confer Monday with Representative Kennedy to "formulate a plan of action."

Kennedy, who indicated that hearings might start next week, yesterday called on all House members to acquaint themselves with the proposed Griffenhagen setup and to approach their examination with "open minds." His plea, which will go into the Congressional Record, urged in anticipation of objections to "certain provisions," that the report be considered as a whole.

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2d Legislator Joins Attack On Chip Robert

Robert

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whether the PWA feels that the fee is reasonable in view of the work performed.

By the Associated Press.

Atlanta, Feb. 17.—While one legislator left here to meet a $50,000 slander suit filed by L. W. Robert, jr., another broadened the attack on the secretary of the National Democratic Committee today by calling him "the scandal of the Roosevelt Administration."

Representative H. B. (Hell Bent) Edwards, from Valdosta, shouted from the House floor:

"It's a shame on the State that we've got such a man in Georgia as Chip Robert. . . . It's a shame on the National Democratic Party that they allow Chip Robert to do like this. And it's a shame on the President of the United States that he has allowed Chip Robert to do what he has done."

Meanwhile Representative De Lacey Allen went to his home town of Albany to accept service of the damage suit filed after he had accused the engineer-party leader of "stealing the taxpayers' money" on a State contract.

The chunky former commander of the State American Legion not only reiterated his determination to waive legislative immunity, but said he planned a counter suit against Robert "because of the untruths he has told about me." He added if the award in any such action were more than expenses he would "give the balance to the Milledgeville Hospital."

It was criticism of a contract held by Robert & Co. for work on the State hospital at Milledgeville that touched off the Robet-Allen feud. The contract calls for 6 per cent in fees and Allen and other legislators have said this is much more than proper for such work.

Edwards named James A. Farley as the head of the Democratic committee and insisted "you can't condemn Chip Robert unless you condemn the departments and divisions of Government that allowed him to do what he has done."

Edwards called on the President, Gov. E. D. Rivers of Georgia and other governmental and party leaders to "stop that graft" and declared.

"Public enemy No. 1 in the United States Government, in Georgia and in the State government is graft and that's going to eat the heart out of Democracy if we don't stop it."

Sabotage Seen In Disappearance Of Soviet Flier

Moscow, Feb. 17 (AP).—Anti-Soviet intrigue has been injected into the disappearance of Sigismund Levaneffsky, famed Soviet pilot, in a flight over the North Pole in 1937.

Radioman Voznesensky, chief of the station at Tikhaya Bay in Franz Josef Land, has been jailed, it was disclosed today, charged with counter revolutionary activities.

He was accused of withholding or delaying radio messages during Levaneffsky's attempted flight over the pole to the United States and during numerous air expeditions sent out in search of the air hero and his five companions.

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—Vilhjalmur Stefansson, Arctic explorer, said tonight he did not believe American participation in the search was "hindered in any way."

Dorothy Gish Gains In Grippe Attack

New York, Feb. 17 (U.P.).—Dorothy Gish, one of the famous sisters of the stage and screen, was reported to be "much better" tonight at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center, where she was taken Thursday with a severe attack of intestinal grippe.

Her sister, Lillian, quit the cast of "Dear Octopus" at the Morosco Theater to be with Dorothy but physicians said there was "no danger."

British Economist Plans German Study

London, Feb. 17 (AP).—The British givernment has assigned another important mission to her ace economic observer, Frank Ashton-Gwatkin, who is to leave next week for Berlin to study German business conditions.

Last summer Ashton-Gwatkin was Viscount Runciman's righthand man on his mission in Czecho-Slovakia before the September crisis.

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Hazen Backs Ruhland Plan For Gallinger

Gallinger

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requested of Corporation Counsel Seal to settle the controversy of Gallinger control. Seal never received the request.

At yesterday's meeting were Dr. Cloyd Heck Martin, president of George Washington University; the Very Rev. Arthur O'Leary, president of Georgetown University; Dr. Ruhland, and Dr. Edgar A. Bocock, superintendent of Gallinger.

Issue Statement

Following the conference the four issued this joint statement:

"Progress was made toward working out a solution of the Gallinger Hospital problem."

Dr. Ruhland took occasion yesterday to state, however, his five resident physicians "never exercised control over the visiting staff."

The two schools supply some 150 visiting physicians. During the hearings last January of the House District sub-committee on appropriations, Chairman Collins asked Dr. Ruhland what service was needed to improve conditions at Gallinger Hospital. Dr. Ruhland said he would like, and was granted five resident full-time physicians.

Dr. Ruhland said yesterday he would meet early next week with the university heads to "work out an agreeable settlement."

'Quasi-Experts' On Arms Hit By Roosevelt

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maneuvers near the Panama Canal.

The canal defense "program" already was under way, he said, indicating the Houston's exact position would be kept secret, along with those of other participating vessels.

He said the Houston would be a part of the "defending" fleet, but he would reserve the right to withdraw from the war games at any time.

The President is due at Florida City, below Miami, early tomorrow. He will motor from there 140 miles to Key West and board the destroyer Warrington, then transfer to the Houston in deeper water.

Before embarking he will make brief radio talks in connection with opening of the Golden Gate Exposition, at San Francisco, and the Hernando De Soto Exposition now under way at Tampa, Fla.

Salvation Army Service

All Salvation Army corps will unite for a salvation meeting tomorrow at 8 p. m., which will be conducted by Lieut. Commissioner Ernest I. Pugmire, territorial leader of the army in the Southern States, who will be accompanied by Maj. Sidney Cox, soloist.

Batista Is Guest of Envoy

Close ties—white ties combined when well-tailored Col. Fulgencio Batista, Cuba army chief, was a reception guest of United States Ambassador Josephus Daniels (left) at Mexico City. Batista urged closer ties between the United States, Cuba and Mexico and declared that "solidarity should be the common concern of all of us"

Fascists Assail Mrs. Roosevelt

Rome, Feb. 17 (U.P.).—Mrs. Roosevelt was accused today by the Italian press of "adding a new fuse to the great powder house of those parties which want war."

Virginio Gayda, editor of the Giornale d'Italia, quotel the President's wife as having said that "unsatisfied nations" will not remain quiet until their aspirations are satisfied.

"Similar statements," Gayda said in an editorial, "which follow the lines of those by her fiery husband must be pointed out as typical documents of democratic belligerency which indicate the fatal road along which North American policy is directed."

All Charges Against J. R. King Are Dropped

All charges against James R. (Pete) King, former assistant to the clerk of Montgomery County police court, were nolle prossed yesterday by Judge Charles W. Woodward, of the county circuit court at Rockville, Md.

Motion to quash the charges was made by the former State's attorney, James Pugh, who with Wilson L. Townsend acted as special prosecutor in the trial of King on one indictment which alleged embezzlement of $49 in dog tax receipts. King was acquitted of this charge by a jury after nine hours' deliberation Thursday night, following a one-day trial. The quashed indictment included charges of embezzling $440.

Roosevelt Says Business Need Have No Fear

Business

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situation, he added, and was not disturbed by it.

Invites Suggestions

As for Commonwealth and Southern, he said it was only concerned about its operations in the Tennessee area and that was all settled now, evidently referring to sale of its Tennessee properties to TVA.

It was at this point the President said the utilities had no reason for not going ahead with expansion plans.

As for the budget, he invited any one complaining about it to come in and suggest how it could be balanced without cutting out necessary functions.

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Nover's column on foreign affairs, which appears three times a week in The Post, on the page opposite editorial, is based on wide knowledge fortified by constant research. His articles not only discuss foreign affairs but interpret the news in terms of what it means to America's foreign policy.

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WASHINGTON'S HOME MORNING NEWSPAPER

Kitty Carlisle Finds Realities Mock Tinsel

Actress, Guest Here Of Peppers, Fears War Soon in Europe

Kitty Carlisle, who has sung of boy-meets-girl situations in half a dozen stage and screen musicals, would rather talk about French foreign policy than the foibles of Hollywood.

The dark-haired actress, now in the Capital on a two-day visit, feels that the choice of a leading lady for "Gone With The Wind" has been exhausted as a topic of conversation.

Predicting war in Europe this spring—or "just as close a call as we had in September," Miss Carlisle is distressed by "the uncertainty which hangs over everything." She recalled a party she gave in Paris last September when most of her guests, "people our own age," knew they would be called to the colors the next day. "Wouldn't it be nice," she said, "if we could feel things were settled, if only for a few months?"

Studied in France

A native of New Orleans, she studied in Lausanne, Neuilly and Paris for several years before beginning her stage career in 1934. Her Hollywood experience adds up to "two years, off and on."

"A few people in southern California are passionately interested in political questions," according to the attractive songstress, "but the importance of such things gets amortized—if that's the word—by the time they get way out to Hollywood. It's sort of a lotus land out there, you know. Everything is so pleasant it's easy not to think about the grim realities in other places."

Actors and producers "who feel strongly about social and political issues, and want to do something about it, don't dare do too much because the backers of their pictures won't stand for it," she said. "It takes plenty of nerve to take a definite stand on some controversial question out there."

Not Even Married Once

The interview turning into more conventional Hollywood channels, Miss Carlisle confessed she has never married, "not even once." Most people marry in the movie metropolis "out of sheer loneliness," she said, "because the whole social life is organized for married couples."

Miss Carlisle came to Washington to visit Mrs. Claude Pepper, whom she met shooting in Scotland last summer, and to attend the Brazilian Embassy reception for Foreign Minister Oswaldo Arahna. Senator Pepper entertained her yesterday at a "bachelor luncheon" in the Capitol, taking her for a ride on the Senate subway.

The actress will return today to New York City where she hopes to sing in a musical next fall. Meanwhile she will begin a personal appearance tour next month.

Dominica Pays For Slain Haitians

Port Au Prince, Haiti, Feb. 17 (AP). The Dominican Republic today paid the Haitian government $275,000 in a compromise settlement of all amounts due under an accord for the payment of indemnity arising from the October, 1937, killing of Haitians in Dominican territory.

The payment came after negotiations between the two governments on the accord, reached by an international commission in Washington last year, calling for payment of $750,000 over a five-year period.

FCA Makes Loans For Purchase Of 6,000 Farms

By the Associated Press.

The Farm Credit Administration reported yesterday it made more than 6,000 loans to finance the purchase of farms last year.

F. F. Hill, governor of FCA, said in a statement that the loans averaged from $3,000 to $4,000.

In another field of its activity, the FCA announced it had started making 1939 emergency crop and feed loans in the South and Southwest.

Gas-Heater Fumes Kill 3 Women Here

Three colored women were found dead of gas heater fumes yesterday in the second floor bedroom of their home, 302 I street northwest. Their cat and dog also were killed, but a 78-year-old parrot was found unharmed.

The dead women were Mrs. Sarah Bennett, 54, owner of the house; Mrs. Louise James, 57, and Mrs. Mary Powell, 79.

Slash Hours, Rail Labor Asks; Cut Pay, Owners Urge

By the Associated Press.

A railroad worker and a representative of stockholders gave the House Interstate Commerce Committee conflicting advice yesterday for solving railroad labor problems.

The witnesses, Ernest A. Ledwith, of Emporia, Kans., and J. D. Shatford, chairman of the Railroad Owners Association, proposed, respectively, shorter work months and lower pay as "logical" remedies.

Labor strikes should be "outlawed," Shatford said. "They are a relic of barbarism."

Munich University's Catholic Section Closed

Berlin, Saturday, Feb. 18 (U.P.).—Bernhard Rust, Nazi minister of education, today ordered the Catholic theology section of the University of Munich closed. The official announcement said the reason was students were boycotting the lectures.

Girl Scouts to Fete Diplomats at Reception

Diplomatic representatives from 31 countries affiliated with the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts will attend an "International Tea" at the National Girl Scouts Little House, 1750 New York avenue northwest, from 4 to 6 p. m. today.

Chairman of Prom

VIRGINIA M. WALLGREN is a busy young lady today, as chairman of National University's junior prom committee. The dance will be held tonight in the Lafayette Hotel

Anderson Concert Sure, Says Sponsor

Colored Contralto To Sing 'Even if We Have to Build a Tent'

"She'll sing here—even if we have to build a tent for her."

Such determination to present Miss Marian Anderson, the Negro artist with the renowned contralto voice, in Washington this spring, was expressed last night by Miss Lulu V. Childers, Howard University's director of music.

With other members of the local arrangements committee Miss Childers continued the search for an auditorium, after being denied use of Constitution Hall and Central High School.

To Sing April 9

Miss Anderson has been engaged to give a recital here April 9, Easter night, "and that's definite," said Miss Childers. The committee is willing to go the limit. However, it is still hopeful that a hall large enough for the occasion will be found.

"Yesterday some members of a large church said they would see if we couldn't use their auditorium for Miss Anderson," said Miss Childers. "We may accept the invitation, but I don't think I should announce the name of the church until it's certain."

This will not be Miss Anderson's first recital in the Capital. She has been appearing here for the last three or four seasons; at first in one of the local high schools for colored students, and then, when that auditorium was found too small, in a downtown theater.

The committee wants a big hall for the recital so that Miss Anderson's fee, which is large, can be met without prohibitive ticket prices.

Tickets in Demand

Difficulties the committee has in obtaining such an auditorium were a shock to other noted singers in the city for this week's opera engagements in Constitution Hall.

"Can you believe it" said Lucy Monroe, Metropolitan Opera soprano, "she's the greatest singer in the world and they won't let her sing in the Nation's capital!"

Frederick Jagel, Metropolitan tenor, said he "could not believe it."

Meanwhile, the committee, which hasn't a hall for the concert, is being deluged with requests for tickets. "They are coming from far and near," said Miss Childers, "one request was for a party of 40; another was for a group in Maryland."

Farmers Continue Fight Against Auto Inspection Unit

Maryland and Virginia farmers yesterday continued their fight against erection of an automobile inspection station on one of the lots now used for an open air market at Tenth and F streets southwest.

Appearing before a House District subcommittee headed by Representative Schwert (Democrat), of New York, they asked that the station—already under construction—be finished and given to them for a market extension.

Chairman Schwert asked William Van Duzer, director of D. C. traffic, to determine whether the lot could not be used for both purposes.

Arturo Toscanini Conducts Here for 1st Time March 14

Arturo Toscanini, widely regarded as one of the world's great conductors, will make his first professional appearance in the Capital March 14, it was announced yesterday.

The maestro will lead the N. B. C. Symphony Orchestra in Constitution Hall. The orchestra's full complement of 94 musicians will make the trip on special train, including two baggage cars for the instruments, which are valued at $300,000.

Galarza to Lecture On 'Mexico Today'

Ernest Galarza, prominent lecturer and author on Latin American affairs, will discuss "Mexico Today" at the Friends Meeting House, Sunday at 8 p. m. under sponsorship of the modern forum of the American League for Peace and Democracy.

The talk on economic and sociological changes in Mexico will be followed by a panel discussion by Prof. A. Curtis Wilgus, of George Washington University, and Prof. John C. Patterson, of American University.

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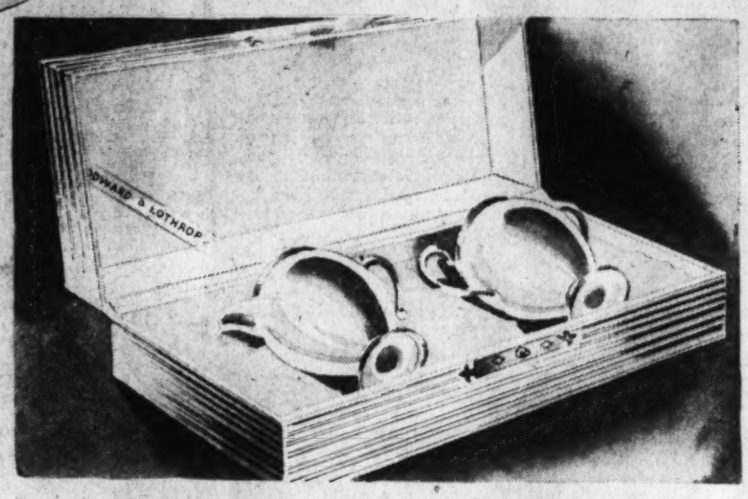

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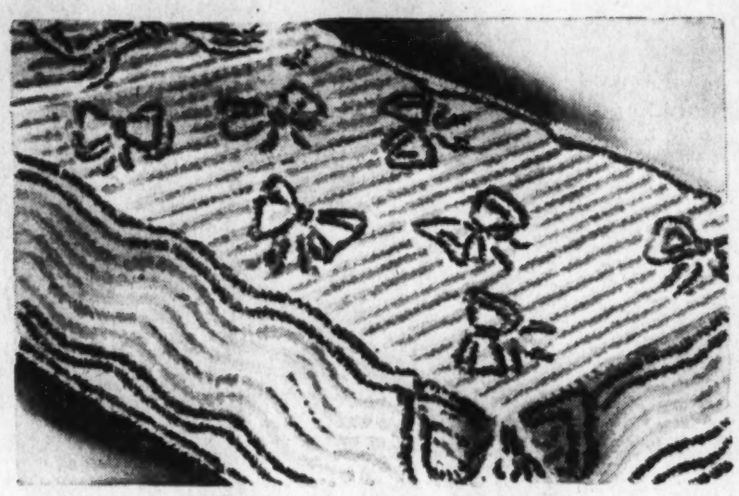

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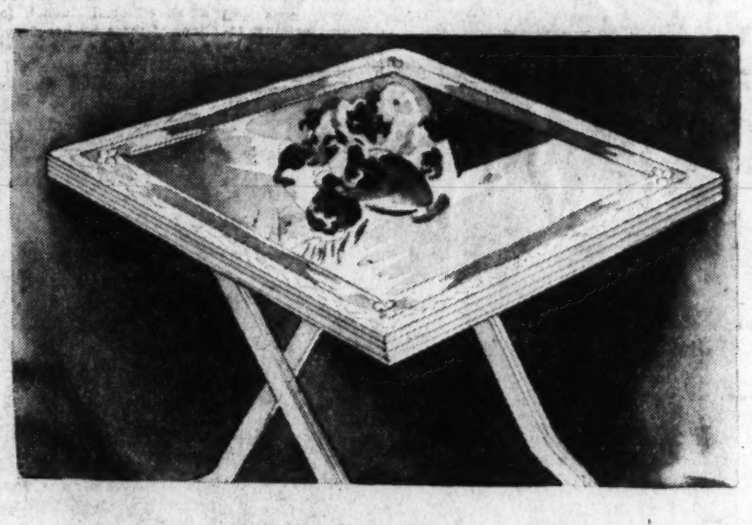

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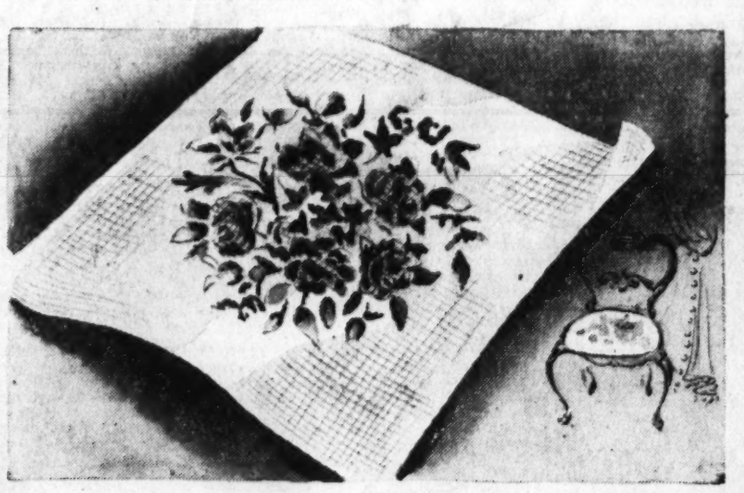

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Lily of the Valley Fancy Tomato Juice, 22-ounce can. In regular stock at 12c. Special ..... **10c, dozen tins $1.10**

Lily of the Valley Superfine Small Peas (American Petit Pois), No. 2 can. In regular stock at 23c a can. Special ..... **3 for 50c**

Westchester Chicken A La King, 15-ounce jar. In regular stock at 65c. Special **50c**

Lutz & Schramm Sweet Pickle Chips, 24-ounce jar. In regular stock at 35c. Special **30c**

Grandee Choice Mammoth Queen Olives, quart jar. Special **48c**

THE FOOD SHOP, FIFTH FLOOR

Jury System Is Dissected In Earle Film

'Let Us Live' Stars Fonda and O'Sullivan; Gus Van on Stage

"LET US LIVE." Columbia picturization of a story by Joseph F. Dineen, adapted to the screen by Anthony Veiller and Allen Rivkin, featuring Henry Fonda and Maureen O'Sullivan, with Ralph Bellamy, Alan Baxter, Stanley Ridges, Henry Kolker and Peter Lynn. Directed by John Brahm. Reviewed Friday afternoon. At the Earle Theater.

"Let Us Live" is a moving and generally engrossing exposition of the frailty of human beings in conducting their society. The film which opened yesterday at the Earle Theater is more than a story of what might happen to any of us; it makes a clean-cut attack on one of the most debatable of all our institutions, the jury system.

Lest this seem too completely inconoclastic, we hasten to add that there is nothing un-American, as the contemporary phrase has it, about this film. But it does forcefully pose the question: "How are inexperienced, everyday people possibly able to differentiate conclusively true from false, especially when skilled, knowing authorities are easily led into jumping at conclusions?" One of the court authorities sums it up when he says, "You never know what a jury is going to do."

Henry Fonda plays a hard-working young taxi driver who is saving his money to provide a home for his girl, Maureen O'Sullivan. Driving her to work at the restaurant where she is employed, Henry stops his cab at church and waits for Maureen to finish her devotions. Just at this time three thugs are holding up a theater for the takings of the boxoffice the night before and they escape in a taxi. The police check up on the whereabouts of all taxi drivers and their suspicious fall on Fonda. He is lined up before some of the victims of the robbery and an hysterical woman identifies him as one of the assailants. Her over-wrought companions agree and Henry is brought to trial before a group of people whose real mission in life is obviously eating, drinking and homemaking and not deciding whether a man is fit to live or die.

Faces Electric Chair

Chance remarks he has made are brought up against him and an eagerness to convict someone brings Fonda to the electric chair. The law sees its part in the case as finished; there is a passing of the buck between the district attorney and the chief of police.

All of this story is so feelingly told any attempt to soften the result of its potent question might seem superficial. That the ending does turn into something of a cops-and-robbers chase should not be held too much against it. One might wish that the "Hairbreadth Harry" finish might not have been employed, but apparently the film has been nationally realeased and the audience has been harrowed enough for an hour, at that.

Fonda is particularly fine as the victim of these events. He is deeply hurt and puzzled to the end. Miss O'Sullivan is also finely subdued in her characterization and together they form such an interesting problem that we would very much like to see how they regain their shaken confidence after they leave the district attorney, who is "thankful that no damage has been done." Ralph Bellamy seems a little too much on the "Heigh-Ho Silver" side, but this was very likely because it falls to him to discover a happy ending in his role of the helpful lieutenant. John Brahm's direction is the force which made the film move as feelingly as it does.

Minstrelsy Comes Back

Gus Van is the particularly impressive star of the "Gentlemen, Be Seated" minstrel show on the stage of the Earle this week. There was a certain tentativeness about the first performance of Harry Anger's minstrel revival yesterday afternoon that took the sure-fire experience of the Minstrel Man to relieve. No doubt things will have been pretty completely snapped up by now and the cast will make the audience seem slightly more at home.

Van sings "Walking Stick," "Little Lady Make Believe" and his classic about Joe DiMaggio on the closing spot and demonstrates how to put over a song. Ray Royce does a drunk's walk, Kay Hamilton swings "Old Man River" (talk about an iconoclast!) and Lewis and Van do a clever tap dance on a couple of step pyramids. Endmen Sassafras and Jellyroll have some old-time songs and jokes, one about chairs and D. C. traffic cops. The Roxyettes are back with some tricky twirls to some of Mr. Gershwin's music. The Ambassadors sing some nautical songs and there is an elaborate platform on the stage from which the girls view the streamlined minstrel show. One quality, we're told, that those original minstrels had was that there were no women to be seen. It must be the appearance of the girls that makes the minstrels "streamlined."

Also on the bill is one of those Warner Brothers-Technicolor historical shorts. This one is "Lincoln in the White House" and its sanctimonious atmosphere makes us more convinced than ever that "Abe Lincoln, of Illinois," is a great play.

RICHARD L. COE.

Film Table

Earle—"Let Us Live," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:35, 3:25, 6:15 and 9:05 p. m.

Loew's Capitol—"St. Louis Blues," at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 and 12:20 p. m. Stage shows at 12:45, 3:35, 6:25 and 9:15 p. m.

Palace—"Idiot's Delight," at 11:55 a. m., 2:20, 4:45, 7:10 and 9:35 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Gunga Din," at 11:15 a. m., 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:31 and 9:35 p. m.

Metropolitan—"King of the Underworld," at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Honolulu," at 11:25 a. m., 1:30, 3:35, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Little Theater—"Ballerina," at 11 a. m., 12:45, 2:30, 4:15, 6:05, 7:50 and 9:35 p. m.

Belasco—"Dark Rapture," at 2:30, 4:30, 6:15, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Tivoli—"They Made Me a Criminal," at 1, 3:20, 5:35, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.

Ambassador—"Young Dr. Kildare," at 1:10, 3:20, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:40 p. m.

Uptown—"Artists and Models Abroad," at 1:30, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

'St. Louis Blues,' at the Capitol, Catches Fancy of Packed Houses

Music Plays Big Part In Colorful Picture With Lamour, Nolan; Stage Revue a Hit

"ST. LOUIS BLUES." Paramount picturization of a story by Eleanore Griffen and William Ranking, adapted to the screen by John C. Moffitt and Malcolm Stuart Boylan, featuring Dorothy Lamour and Lloyd Nolan, with Tito Guizar, Jessie Ralph, Maxine Sullivan, Jerome Cowan, William Frawley, Mary Parker, Cliff Nazarro, Victor Kilian, Walter Soderling, Virginia Howell, the Hall Johnson Choir and Matty Malneck and his orchestra. Music by W. C. Handy, Hall Johnson, Matty Malneck, Burton Lane, Hoagy Carmichael and Leo Rubin. Lyrics by Frank Loesser, Sam Coslow and Raoul Walsh. Directed by Raoul Walsh. Reviewed Friday afternoon. At the Capitol Theater.

Except for the occasional introduction of W. C. Handy's famous compcsition, in various arrangements, both vocal and instrumental, "St. Louis Blues" has nothing in particular to do with "The St. Louis Blues."

BELL

The picture, which was unfurled for the first time in Washington on the screen at Loew's Capitol Theater yesterday, is a composite of so many elements of entertainment that it rather defies minute classification. There is romance in it; there is comedy in it; there is a wealth of music in it and there is a considerable amount of pictorial display that falls a little short of pageantry, but might reasonably be denominated spectacle.

"St. Louis Blues" harks back to the showboat days on the Mississippi for the basis of its plot—a plot, incidentally, which is not too closely integrated, but one which surrenders to such amiable interruptions as to remove all resentment against its lack of dramatic integrity.

It is more or less remarkable that Paramount evolved anything in the way of compelling diversion with so many fingers in the pie. Music has been contributed to "St. Louis Blues" by a list of composers and lyricists almost as long as the cast itself. An almost commensurate number of the cast dedicate their services to the gleeful interpretation of these diversified song numbers. They include Dorothy Lamour, Maxine Sullivan, the sepia singer with the limpid voice; the King's Men, the Hall Johnson Choir and even Lloyd Nolan. Mr. Nolan has not as yet written himself down among the cinema's notable vocalists, but his lyrical efforts, at least, add a comedy touch to scenes that may or may not have been intended to be comic.

Furnishes Much Amusement

Backgrounding all of this musical embellishment of "St. Louis Blues" is a story that permits a considerable number of veteran performers to disport themselves in a variety of roles that add up to no great Thespic masterpiece, but do provide a high degree of inconsequential amusement. Jesse Ralph, not seen on the screen so much of late as she used to be, is the matriarch of the river, who smokes long, black cigars and sees to it that everything comes out right side up in the lives of her juvenile proteges. Miss Lamour is cast as the truant from Broadway, whose contract manager becomes the villain of the piece and threatens the welfare of the enterprises fostered by Mr. Nolan, in the role of the youthful showboat proprietor. Tito Guizar falls in love with Mary "Punkins" Parker and William Frawley plays a useful part as a rascal, impersonating the law. Miss Parker, by the way, executes one dance that is an asset to the film.

To Cliff Nazarro falls one of the choice comedy bits of the picture. Mr. Nazarro is cast as "Shorty," a young man without apparent destination, who makes announcements and goes through the trip-hammer routines of the professional tobacco salesmen, just for fun and practice. Maybe sometime he hopes to be a tobacco salesman. That would seem to be unnecessary, for his "double-talk" and gatling-gun nonsense make him invaluable to pictures and the stage. His chatter couldn't be much funnier, even if you could understand a syllable of it now and then.

"St. Louis Blues," in summary, is a showboat picture that at times approaches "Showboat" in its sure-fire audience appeal.

Berni Vici Scores Again

On the stage of the Capitol this week, Count Berni Vici presents another of his opulent revues, bearing the title of "Stars Over Broadway." It is produced on a "space stage" of several levels, and introduces an unusual number of clever specialists. Toplining the preceedings, in a manner of speaking, is Mitzi Green, recently here for the President's birthday celebrations who sings her songs and does her minutely expository impersonations with the assurance of a mature and seasoned artiste. Her Fannie Brice number seemed to me best yesterday afternoon.

LaRue and Carol, "dance originators;" Lane and Lane, male gymnasts of unique method; William Guthrie, barytone; Gene Gory & Co., in an interval of utterly mad musicianship; Roberta, danseuse, and Terry Howard, that inimitable comedienne who stops every show in which she appears, are others who make Count Berni Vici's frolic one of the season's better offerings. And this would not be to forget the Sixteen Hollywood Ingenues, the Count's all-feminine orchestra, who display great versatility by converting themselves, from time to time, into an accordion ensemble, a banjo band a brigade of drummers, and whatnot, as the demands of the moment seem to require.

Nor would it be fair to omit mention of Berni Vici's octet of scantily clad coryphees, the expertness of his lighting and the efficiency with which he keeps his revue moving on three stage levels; or of Phil Lampkin's cleverly devised overture that practically "brought down the house" and brought his instrumentalists to their feet many times.

The Fox Movietone News, with Lew Lehr having a great deal of satiric fun with Tony Galento's oafish antics, completes a program that had the Capitol jammed to the last seat at the reviewed performance.

But She Also Wears a Sarong!

DOROTHY LAMOUR

"St. Louis Blues," currently on the screen at Loew's Capitol Theater, heavily disguised in the ruffly crinolines of the Old South. Miss Lamour, however, reverts to normal now and again by appearing in the South Sea costume that has become so indelibly associated with her screen appearances. She is surrounded by Matty Malneck bandsmen

The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, Feb. 17.

DICK MERRILL: Harry Richman, who flew the Atlantic with you, has given up flying. His pilot, who went to Rio to instruct pilots there, was killed in a plane crash 15 days ago. Harry went to Florida by train last week. His wife won't let him fly . . . F. D. R.: Your aide, Tommy Corcoran, will leave the hospital Saturday and go to St. Jovite in Canada. After '40, he and Ben Cohen will return to private practice as partners. They'll take with them the best of the New Deal lawyers.

WILL HAYS: A film company's directors' meeting actually was held in a hospital room. Because J. A. Sisto, a director of Monogram Pictures, is a patient at a local hospital, his colleagues decided that his hospital room was the best meeting place.

CHIANG KAI-SHEK: Two Japanese soldiers "inspected" the American-endowed St. John's University, in Shanghai, and discovered two photographs on the walls of a student's room . . . They summoned the school's caretaker, and insisted that he produce those women at once . . . When he insisted that he couldn't produce the ladies whose photographs adorned the wall the soldiers left and returned with ten Japanese officers, who repeated the demand—that the women be found and produced forthwith . . . The university authorities then moved the caretaker to safer quarters in the Settlement, because he was unable to convince the Japs that the ladies were not in the Shanghai sector . . . The photos were those of Ginger Rogers and Mae West.

PRICE, WATERHOUSE & CO.: As a result of the McKesson, Robbins fiasco, Fortune Magazine has assigned an expert to write an expose about accounting practices in Big Business . . . Lyon Boston: District Attorney Dewey confided that when he cross-examines you again, he will ask the same question which resulted in the mistrial of the Hines case . . . Sir Victor Sassoon: You told interviewers that the democracies should favor Japan, as a bulwark against Soviet Russia. But, the day after this pro-Japanese interview, when you came to El Morocco, wasn't the lady with you Li Yuang—the Chinese aviatrix?

G. B. SHAW: Orson Welles, John Emery and Burgess Meredith came into the Stork Club. They all wore the beards they had grown for Welles' production of "The 5 Kings" . . . A few minutes later, William Gaxton, Victor Moore, Ben Bernie and Director George Stevens approached their table and asked: "May we join you legitimate actors?" . . . These four men had painted beards on their faces—with burnt cork.

JOHN AMEN: The feminine angle attached to the indictment you've secured against that second Brooklyn jurist has fled the jurisdiction of the State . . . Ben Blue: Do you plan to rush to Europe? . . . Irving Berlin: Mickey Rooney is writing some songs with Johnny Mercer. Mickey's having a jitterbug's holiday here. He visited Guy Lombardo at the Roosevelt, Chick Webb at the Park Central and Artie Shaw at the Strand.

CLARE BOOTHE: The London censors finally have approved the production of your hit play, "The Women" . . . Because the play concerns the activities of a cruel group of women, the Lord Chamberlain refused to license it . . . Now, however, he has relented and given his approval. Even the one concession he demanded was not allowed—his demand that the title be altered to "The American Women."

TONY GALENTO: Tommy Farr announced that he's switched his training quarters for his next fight. He's switched—from the Paradise to the 18 Club . . . Jean Rodney: Eleanor Roosevelt has seen your current production of "Outward Bound" four times already. It's her favorite show . . . Harold Ickes: Frank Gannett, your debating companion, publishes America's Future, a magazine which reprints articles and cartoons. The current issue of Gannett's magazine misspells but one name—that of Messner, cartoonist for the Rochester Times-Union, a Gannett paper.

B'WAY ASSN.: The $150,000 Supper Room of Richman's Road-to-Mandalay closed until Easter . . . Mayor Hague: The President may disregard both you and Senator Smathers in appointing a successor to Judge Clark, who delivered the decision in your case. Richard F. Green may get the job . . . Jim Farley: The N. Y. Postoffice is beating the calendar. Letters mailed February 9 from here bear the postmark "New York, N. Y., March 9, '39" . . . Arturo Toscanini: Jack Cummings, the producer, and Dore Schary, who wrote "Boys Town," are in N. Y. now to see David Mannes, who conducts the free concerts at the Met. Museum of Art. They'll screen his book, "Music Is My Faith."

RKO-Keith's

Queen Victoria's shade will watch the action-packed adventures of a trio of her sergeants in "Gunga Din" for a third week as that film continues its run at RKO-Keith's Theater.

Surely, by now, everyone knows what's been going on at that theater all these days. The Cary Grant-Victor McLaglen-Douglas Fairbanks, jr., opus has already attracted enough customers for the word of mouth reputation to get pretty well noised abroad. If action is your meat, "Gunga Din" is your dish.

Grant and McLaglen are determined to keep Fairbanks in the regiment and away from his girl friend, Joan Fontaine. They do it by embroiling him, and themselves, so thoroughly in skirmishes with natives and secret temples of gold that the most love-sick cow in sight of the greeenest of pastures would think twice before leaving such ripsroaring excitement. Such a leaping over walls, slicing up of natives and general butchering has not been seen hereabouts since election day. Just about tops in suspense comes when a particularly virile looking elephant brings the boys to a plank between two cliffs that seem to spring from the lower regions to the stratosphere. Din and Grant are in the middle when the less dainty member of the trio decides she, too, wants to see what's on the other side.

Eduardo Cianelli is a swarthy high priest of some of the more ferocious native tribes and Sam Jaffe is the faithful Gunga Din. Ben Hecht and Charles McArthur conjured up the characters from Rudyard Kipling's poem and they are said to have thought of about 15 different endings to the escapade. Since just about everything else happens in the film, it does seem pretty reactionary of them to have compromised on only one.

So "Gunga Din" will probably go on indefinitely with Her Majesty's army quelling the obstreperous natives with as much general hell-raising as has come out of the West in a long time. The photography, the settings and production details are all on the grand scale.

R. L. C.

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Bogart, Francis Star in Film On Met. Screen

'King of Underworld' Betrays Weird Angles, But Is Vivid Drama

"KING OF THE UNDERWORLD." Warner Brothers' picturization of a story by W. R. Burnett, adapted to the screen by George Bricker and Vincent Sherman, starring Humphrey Bogart with Kay Francis, James Stephenson, John Eldridge, Jessie Busley, Arthur Aylesworth, Raymond Brown, Harland Tucker, Ralph Remley, Charlie Foy, John Ridgely and Pierre Watkin. Reviewed Friday afternoon. At the Metropolitan Theater.

Concocters of "King of the Underworld," now gracing the Metropolitan screen, must certainly have been a flock of fictional chemists. Into an essential base of "Nick Carter" plot they have stirred the acid of a 1939 gang leader with a Napoleon complex, some diluted elements of science and a judicious amount of sentimental banana oil.

It's beyond us why they left out the nitroglycerin of the FBI as a final explosive element. But, no—the final detonation is supplied by a couple of firecrackers in the way of local police.

The top-flight talents of Humphrey Bogart and Kay Francis flutter only so high in "King of the Underworld," but receive worthwhile support from John Eldredge and James Stephenson, these latter two playing Kay's first and second objects of affection.

The fast-tangling plot reveals Kay and Eldredge as young doctors who effect a surgical rescue from death of one of Bogart's gorillas. Eldredge, an essential weakling, with a passion for the ponies, becomes the gang's doctor and is finally shot down in a police raid. Kay, though escaping prosecution, is threatened with loss of her physician's license to practice.

Biographer Gets His

What to do? Why to capture the gang chief, single handed, of course. That's the Hollywood way. So Doctor Kay lives near a county jail where a couple of the gangsters are confined and when Bogart rescues his boys amid a rattle of shooting, Kay treats the wounds of an innocent hitch-hiker who'd been riding with the gang and who turns out to be a writer, whom Bogart had been carrying along to do his biography. (Words fail to describe what we think about this angle!) Then Bogart comes right back to town to have Kay dress his punctured arm. Later, he has his strongarms, kidnap his writer, who has taken up residence with Kay. Still later he sends for Kay to dress his arm.

Wind-off of the yarn is the doggonedest stunt ever conceived by a scenario writer. Kay persuades Bogart that he has streptococci in his eyes from his infected arm, also that all the other members of the gang are similarly infected, with prospects that the whole shooting match will go blind in a couple of hours unless she puts some disinfecting drops in their eyes. They all sit around like infants and let her dose their eyes with temporarily blinding drops. Then the police come bounding in. That's all, thank you.

Cast Is Competent

Humphrey Bogart and Kay Francis, both incapable of turning in other than good dramatic jobs, lend color and force to the picture. John Eldredge is smooth and believable as the light-minded young medico who prefers the broad and easy road to the straight and narrow. James Stephenson, though decidedly lacking in physical good looks, shows charm and finished acting as the second Francis love interest.

The newsreel is one of the richest in months, particularly because of the section showing the ex-Kaiser on his eightieth birthday and the flashbacks on his life including Voctoria, the Good, Widow of Windsor; George V, as a smartly strutting subaltern; the present Duke of Windsor as an unhappy looking youth of 14 or 15; the panoply and brutal magnificence of prewar Germany It is all history, and great history, with a graphic impact. Other news angles show Hoover speaking, with a power and brilliance unknown in his Presidential days; "Two Ton" Tony Galento biting off the tops of beer bottles on the Miami sands, a girl jockey race, and the bob sleds taking the curves with a high swing at Lake Placid. A comical-musical short features Al St. John and some yodeling cowboys in the process of being roped into matrimony. MARY HARRIS.

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In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Cal., Feb. 17.—The producers have certainly gone in for violence in order to stand the customers up at the box office these days. "Stage Coach," "Stand Up and Fight," "Jesse James" and "Gunga Din" are loaded with gun-play, horse-play, by-play and fist-play. And the coming crop of pictures is just as meaty. The Indians and U. S. Cavalry fight every inch of celluloid they're in in "Union Pacific." Even Joel McCrea and Bob Preston took a hand in it. Frank Lloyd will raise hair on the chest for "Ruler of the Sea"—not his own, his actors.

HEDDA HOPPER

"Beau Geste," with Cooper, Milland and Donlevy won't be what you might call a sissy affair. Even the city slickers like Jimmy Cagney buckled on a six-shooter and blasted away in "Dodge City." Spencer Tracy, Nancy Kelly and Henry Hull have to fight through jungle horrors in "Stanley and Livingstone." And Paul Muni fought through a haze of blue gun-smoke in "Juarez" that's as heavy as Belasco's chiffon back drops.

Yes, sir, the customers are now getting injections of iron and other blood builder-uppers in order to digest this strenuous diet.

Jeanette MacDonald used a metal swatter to assault a fly in her dressing room. When the pest lit on an electric light, Jeanette swung. She broke the bulb, short-circuited the filament, blew out the fuse, shocked herself almost senseless. The fly was so ashamed it left quietly. Jeanette was helped out.

If "Pygmalion" wins the academy award for the best picture of the year, the funniest sight since the beginning of movies may take place. Imagine George Bernard Shaw and Bill Lipscomb (who did the adaptation) struggling for little Oscar.

While we're handing out medals something should be done for that song, "Thanks for the Memory." Bob Hope's made his whole career on it. First in "The Big Broadcast," then a picture named after it, now it's the theme for his airshow, which has put him in fourth place in 18 weeks. Some song.

And how about Henry King who directed the most memorable scene of the year—the close-up of a mother when she realizes her son is marching to war in "Alexander's Ragtime Band." He wasn't even mentioned.

John Fredericks endeared himself to the producers when he charged $300 apiece for those bonnets—no pokes please—he's done for "Gone With the Wind" and slyly said there wasn't a dollar's worth of material in them. Nail down your log cabin tablecloth or some of our stars will be snooding and wimpling them around their fair heads—paying $35 for the privilege.

Producer-Director Herbert Wilcox, who did such a good job with "Victoria the Great," is here conferring with R. K. O. about Anne Neagle's next picture. New York Producer Max Gordon arrives in a few days. I wonder if he'll get another vacation with pay? Last time he was here R. K. O. paid for it and he got one before that with Metro. How do you get one of those things? I must remember to ask him!

You'll be amazed at one of our most popular stars for insisting that beautiful platinum blonde Marion Martin paint circles under her eyes so she would look like Peggy Hopkins Joyce. And the funny thing was she fell for it.

Director William Dieterle has become the pal of the world. He has a Chinese valet, French chef, Philippine houseboy and a German maid. The French chef prohibits discussion of international politics, except at meal times knowing they're all too hungry to waste their time talking. That man's missed his calling—he should be in the diplomatic service.

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Columbia

The ancient mistaken-identity theme, plus the magic flying feet of Eleanor Powell, make her new film worthy of a second week's run at the Columbia. Powell performs at least two routines which will be worthy of the close study of tap-dance experts. She even breaks away from tap for a smooth hula number which undoubtedly would have been something worthy of laudatory adjectives, had the censors not clipped it. As it is, her best dance item is a Bill Robinson takeoff, performed on a double flight of steps, which should end all amateur attempts to be tricky on one flight.

Robert Young is the young man who becomes enamored of Eleanor, and finds the way to her heart beset by all the problems which would naturally evolve from his being some one other than the man he pretends to be. He is both movie actor and Hawaiian planter, and between the two of them, he presents a study in psychological adjustment to environment.

Gracie Allen, with her fluffy foolishment adds much to the general refined clamor of events and George Burns has a few chances for laughs, which he immediately uses.

The supplementals shorts are varied and engaging, though the Magic Carpet travelogue will probably be unflatteringly contrasted with Robert Benchley's radio version of the Magic Broomstick.

Young-Jones Barn Mecca for Stars

The riding academy operated by Robert Young and Allen Jones at Bel-Air has become the Mecca of riding enthusiasts among the screen colony. Almost daily Maureen O'Sullivan, Bill Boyd, Virginia Fields, Richard Green and others are on their bridle path. Robert Taylor has worked out horses there several times. Miliza Korjus is taking riding lessons, and Bert Lahr is making arrangements for the same.

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APOLLO 624 H St. N.E. LI. 3376 Mat. 1 p. m. Dennis O'Keefe, Cecelia Parker in "Burn 'Em Up O'Conner." At 1, 3:55, 6:50, 9:45. William Boyd in "The Frontiersman." At 2:35, 5:30, 8:25.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2600 Mat 1 p. m. Arthur Lake, Penny Singleton in "Blondie." At 1:30, 3:35, 5:30, 7:50, 9:55. Also Cartoon.

AVE. GRAND 645 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 2406 Mat. 1 p.m. George O'Brien in "Lawless Valley." At 1, 3:35, 6:15, 9. Anne Shirley, Ralph Bellamy in "Girls' School." At 1:55, 4:35, 7:15, 10. Also Our Gang Comedy and Newsreel.

BEVERLY 15th & E N.E. LI. 2300. Mat. 1 P. M. Parking Space Available to Patrons. Preston Foster in "Up the River." At 1:15, 3:20, 5:25, 7:35, 9:40.

CALVERT 2324 Wis. Ave. N.W. WO. 2345. Mat. 1 P.M. Sidney Toler in "Charlie Chan in Honolulu." At 2, 4:05, 6:10, 8, 9:50.

CENTRAL 425 9th St. N.W. ME. 2841. Open 11 A.M. Victor McLaglen, Chester Morris in "Pacific Liner." At 11, 1:40, 4:20, 7, 9:40. William Boyd in "Sunset Trail." At 12:30, 3:10, 5:50, 8:30. Also Short Subject.

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 6500 Mat. 1 p. m. Arthur Lake, Penny Singleton in "Blondie." At 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50. Titans of the Deep Short.

PENN 650 Pa. Ave. S.E. LI. 3179. Mat. 1 P. M. Victor McLaglen, Chester Morris in "Pacific Liner." At 1:40, 3:50, 6, 7:50, 9:45. Popeye, Stooges Comedy. Matinee at 1 P. M.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. COl. 4968 Mat. 1 p.m. Bob Burns, Fay Bainter in "Arkansas Traveler." At 1, 3:40, 4:30, 6:10, 7:55, 9:40.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring SH. 2546. Parking Space Matinee Today 1 P. M. Three Mesquiteers in "Purple Vigilantes." At 1:25, 4:20, 7:10, 10. Jacqueline Wells in "Highway Patrol." At 2:35, 5:25, 8:20.

SHERIDAN Ga. & Sheridan N.W. RA. 2400. Mat. 1 P.M. Jack Benny, Joan Bennett in "Artists and Models Abroad." At 1, 3:20, 5:40, 7:45, 9:50. Short.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike SHer. 5300. Mat. 1 P. M. Parking Space Available to Patrons. Arthur Lake, Penny Singleton in "Blondie." At 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30. Also Cartoon.

TAKOMA 4th and Butternut Sts. GE. 4312. Parking Space Matinee Today 1 P. M. Tommy Kelly, Anne Gillis in "Peck's Bad Boy With the Circus." At 1, 4:05, 7:15, 10:05. Anne Shirley, Ralph Bellamy in "Girls' School." At 2:30, 5:40, 8:45. Disney Cartoon.

TIVOLI 14th & Park Road N.W. COL. 1866. Mat. 1 P.M. John Garfield, "Dead End" Kids in "They Made Me a Criminal." At 1, 3:20, 5:35, 7:50, 9:55. Also Comedy.

UPTOWN Conn. & Newark N.W. WO. 5400. Mat. 1 P.M. Parking Space Available to Patrons. Joan Bennett, Jack Benny in "Artists and Models Abroad." At 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:35.

YORK Ga. Ave. & Quebec Pl. N.W. RA. 4400 Mat. 1 p. m. Freddie Bartholomew, Judy Garland in "Listen, Darling." At 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35, 9:45. Also Short Subject.

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NEWTON 12th and Newton Sts. N.E. Double Feature. MOTO'S LAST WARNING" Peter Lorre. "MYSTERIOUS RIDER." Russell Hayden. Matinee at 1 P. M.

BORO Bethesda, Md. Double Feature. Zane Grey's "MYSTERIOUS RIDER." "PECK'S BAD BOY WITH THE CIRCUS." Also "Ferdinand the Bull."

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Price to Attend Masonic Fete In Alexandria

Senator Byrd and Rep. Thorkelson Also To Be at Banquet

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Governor James H. Price of Virginia will be a guest of honor at the annual banquet of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, to be held Wednesday at the George Mason Hotel in commemoration of the birthday of the first worshipful master of the lodge, George Washington.

The Masonic Lodge in Alexandria was instituted in 1782, under the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, with Robert Adam as worshipful master, and in 1788 the unit transferred to the Grand Lodge in Virginia, with George Washington as first worshipful master under the new warrant.

The newly elected grand master of Masons in Virginia, Judge Needham S. Turnbull, jr., will also be present. Senator Byrd of Virginia and Representative Thorkelson of Montana will be among the speakers.

Carl R. Herrick, of Liberty Lodge, Beverly, Mass., will represent that lodge at the Alexandria celebration, and Past Worshipful Master A. Slater Lamond, of the Washington-Alexandria Lodge, will attend the dinner in the Massachusetts city.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrick will be the house guests of Worshipful Master James Sherier and Mrs Sherier while in this city.

A delegation from the local lodge, headed by Worshipful Master Sherier will leave Alexandria at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning for the annual pilgrimage to Mount Vernon to place a wreath on the tomb of Washington. C. Page Waller, secretary, said the regular communication of the lodge will be held at 5:15 o'clock that afternoon, officers and members to go from the Masonic Temple in Cameron street to the hotel for the banquet.

Mrs. Blair to Speak

Mrs. Emily Newell Blair, now living in Alexandria, will be the principal speaker at the entertainment to be given Tuesday night in Gadsby's Tavern by the Alexandria Business and Professional Women's Club. She will be introduced by another new resident of the city, Mrs. Dorothy McAllister. Judge Lucy Howarth, chairman of the program co-ordination committee of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will participate. Miss Corinne T. Reardon, president of the local club; Miss Alice H. Whitton, program co-ordination chairman, and Miss Eleanor Watkins, public affairs chairman, are in charge of the entertainment. Representative Howard Smith and Mrs. Smith will attend.

A buffet supper will be served by the members of the American Legion Auxiliary, in colonial costume, and under direction of Mrs. W. Milton Glasgow, president. Mrs. Helen V. Reed is in charge of reservations.

F. R. Nugent Rites Monday

The funeral of Frank R. Nugent, 40, who died suddenly Thursday morning at his home, 920 Duke street, will be held at 9:30 a. m. Monday from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Members of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, of which he was a member, held a special commemoration meeting last night.

Check Up on This Man

Alexandria police have been notified that a man purporting to be a student of a theological seminary is soliciting funds in Rosemont and George Washington Park. He claims to be seeking the required entrance fee to continue his religious education, and is reported to be well dressed, well educated and exceptionally well poised.

Persons approached by such a supplicant are warned to ask for credentials and check before giving aid.

Vienna Refugees Here

Mr. and Mrs. Max Blatt, Jewish refugees from Vienna, have been brought to Alexandria by the local branch of the National Co-ordinating Committee of Jewish Welfare Activities. Irving Diener, local attorney, is chairman.

Funeral Today In Alexandria For R. E. Knight

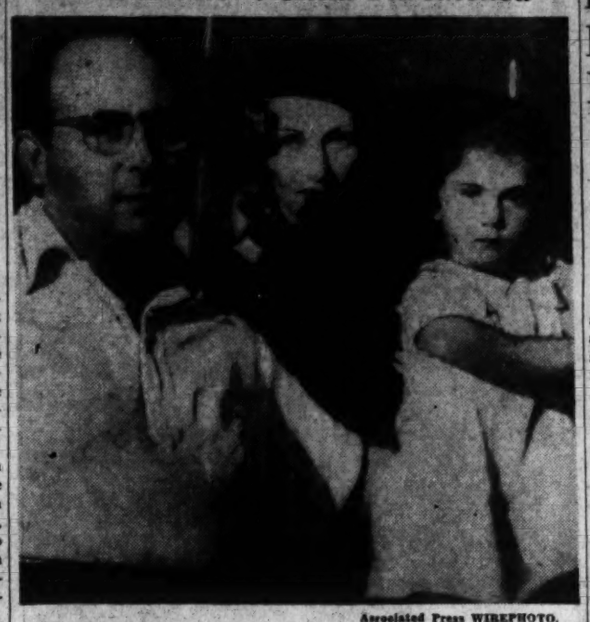
Funeral services for Robert E. Knight, 73, Alexandria hardware merchant, who died Thursday, will be held at 2 p. m. today at the Alexandria Methodist Episcopal Church South. Burial will be in Ivy Hill Cemetery.

As a tribute, the Retail Merchants Bureau will close at 1:30 p. m. and members of the group, of which Mr. Knight was the president, will assemble at the office, 103 North Alfred street, to attend the funeral in a body. Services at the grave will be conducted by Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons.

Active pallbearers will be Richard L. Ruffner, Charles C. Carlin, Eugene Simpson, Harvey Schwarzmann, Julian Downey, George F. Downham, John W. Tulloch and Roy Gemeny.

Honorary pallbearers will include Richard M. Green, Thomas B. Rowen, Thomas Chauncey, Sylvester A. Breen, Ashby Claden, John H. Trimyer, J. Fred Birrell, William Albert Smoot, C. Page Waller, Charles H. Callahan, Joseph S. Crupper, Benedict Weil, Edward Hantzmon, George W. Petitt, Frank T. King, Edmund F. Ticer, Judge Louis C. Burley, Charles E. Dare, H. M. Colvin, George Hayden, Harry R. Burke, Frank Michelbach, Norman Simpson, David E. Bayliss, George E. Warfield, Gardner L. Boothe, R. Walton Moore, Representative Howard W. Smith, William A. Moore, Dr. Samuel B. Moore, Floyd Saunders, J. E. W. Timberman, Westmoreland Davis, George W. Merchant, Robert H. Cox, Harold H. Martin, John Barton Phillips, Julian Chauncey, Judge James Reece Duncan, Edwin R. Mills, Julian Y. Williams, Clyde Smith, E. A. Sweeley, Francis H. Fannon, Lawrence E. Corbett, J. Randall Caton, Michael T. Dwyer, Fred C. Goodnow, Harry Hammond and Warren S. Grubbs.

Film Director's Child Threatened



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A telephoned threat to kidnap Patricia Taurog, 6, shown with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Taurog, at their Beverly Hills home, resulted yesterday in a guard being placed around their home. Taurog is a director of child motion pictures

Marshal Ousts Two Aides On Evidence Suppression

Warring

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that on December 2—three weeks before the alleged bribe—he had such a bill and put it in the bank. Bank records were produced to support this.

Late in the day, Deputy Marshal Harry C. Allen, was called to the stand. He testified that five or six days before Christmas Upperman showed him a $100 bill and said it was a Christmas present from his son. Allen said he commented on this to Deputy Thomas R. East.

East testified he had a hazy recollection of this comment and that Upperman also showed him the $100 bill.

Tells of Remark

Allen said a remark of his daughter's this week caused him to realize the importance of what he knew and that Wednesday morning he and East went to Kearney with their stories. They said they told no one else, because it was the practice in the marshal's office to take up such matters with superiors. Kearney, they said, told them he would see Colpoys about it. Yesterday morning, they said, Kearney told them it would be all right to testify for Whelan and O'Connell.

District Attorney Pine and Assistant District Attorneys Fihelly and Wilson heard the marshals' story with apparent amazement. Colpoys approached the Government counsel table when the court took a few minutes recess. Pine asked him what he meant by not informing the court or the district attorney of such important evidence.

Colpoys Assailed

"You fire a couple of marshals for taking a little $5 Christmas present," Pine told Colpoys, "and then you sit on evidence like this for 24 hours. You allow grounds for suspecting that the prosecutor's office had concealed testimony valuable to the defense."

Meanwhile, Assistant District Attorney Wilson was shouting at Kearney. All four huddled in a disputing group.

Pine later said he never heard of the testimony until it was given from the witness stand.

Colpoys, when questioned by a reporter, said he was not told about the evidence by Kearney and that he, too, heard it for the first time in court yesterday.

Since Allen and East swore they told nobody but Kearney, the chief deputy was asked whether he told the defense attorneys.

"I don't even know the defense attorneys," he said.

To other questions Kearney replied:

"Listen. I won't open my mouth about it. If you want to know what I have to say you'll have to take it down when I tell it on the witness stand. I'm here for that purpose. I'll be tickled to death to testify if the man will just put me on there."

Kearney refused to say whether he said anything about the evidence to Pine, to Justice Laws, to Colpoys or to anybody else.

Defense Attorney Mason Welch explained that he learned that Allen and East could tell by a searching questioning of Allen, which he tried because he knew Allen and Upperman worked together a long time.

Kearney said he didn't want the lawyers to know in advance what he would testify if he took the stand and said this was why he would not answer questions for publication.

Colpoys confirmed the resignation of three deputies who were suspended after their names were mentioned from the witness stand in previous hearings of the Warring investigation. He had denied it a short time before.

The deputies who quit were John Crawford, 40, and William Gates, 35, whom Upperman said accompanied him to receive $5 Christmas presents from Whelan, according to an old courthouses custom. The third was Michael Broderick, who was suspended before the Warring scandal broke, because he was awaiting trial on charges of speeding and fighting two policemen.

Broderick said Justices O'Donoghue and Bailey vainly interceded for him and his colleagues but that Colpoys summoned all three to his office and got them to sign resignations which he had written out and ready for them.

When Broderick was mentioned as having been at Emmitt Warring's house, members of the prosecutor's staff said they did not believe he was involved in the jury fixing case and that they believed his explanation that he went on lawful business.

Broderick was fined $5 for speeding and is awaiting a jury trial on the fighting charge.

Meanwhile, Justice Laws resumed court and Colpoys urged Pine to call him to the witness stand. Pine waved the marshal away, pointing out that the Government had rested its case and could not call any more witnesses. "Get the defense to call you," he told Colpoys.

The defense also could call Kearney, if the chief deputy was to testify. Judge Michael Doyle, who defended O'Connell, said the defense was not interested.

P. H. Marshall, of counsel for Whelan, told the court he wanted the record to show that nobody suspected Pine of suppressing any evidence. Justice Laws remarked that Pine and his aides had handled the contempt prosecutions fairly and ably.

Denials Filed

Preceding the clash over the alleged suppressed testimony was an all-day series of sensations which started with responses being filed yesterday morning by the five men accused of criminal contempt because of disclosures in the testimony taken to determine what sentences ought to be given Warring and Upperman. Some of the developments:

Whalen and O'Connell filed sworn and detailed denials by their counsel, Welch, Marshall, Judge Doyle and William A. Gallagher.

Harry Fine, through his attorney, Horace Young, pleaded guilty. He admitted he carried from Emmitt Warring to Juror Carl T. Denekas an offer of $600 for an acquittal of Warring and his two brothers on their trial for criminal conspiracy. Justice Laws allowed him to remain free on $1,500 bond until the case is disposed of.

Denekas, through Attorney Thomas E. Lodge, denied he obstructed justice.

Admits Conference

Thomas Harrison Quinlan admitted that Emmitt Warring consulted him about whether certain prospective jurors could be influenced. His attorney, Wilbert McInerney, yesterday filed a response admitting the facts, but denying that as a matter of law what Quinlan had done amounted to criminal contempt.

Justice Laws ordered the Whelan-O'Connell hearing to be put first. The Government produced Upperman, who now has been in confinement two weeks.

Upperman said that on one of the three nights he was guarding the first Warring conspiracy jury—before it was discharged in a deadlock—O'Connell came to him in the courthouse and gave him $10. He then gave the testimony about getting the $100 from Whelan. He told how he paid the $100 on a $150 note he owed at the bank.

Upperman Questioned

Doyle and Marshall then devoted hours to cross-examining Upperman about every point of his story. Upperman varied between exact statements and vagueness about details. He could not recall what day it was he got the $10 from O'Connell or what day or time he got the $100 from Whelan.

O'Connell testified for himself in the afternoon, saying he was not in the courthouse at night on any night when he could have given Upperman the $10. He told where he was on the three nights and offered to produce witnesses to what he was doing at all the times mentioned by Upperman.

Whelan testified that Upperman asked him for $150 and that he turned Upperman down. He denied that he gave Upperman $100 in any form at any time. Whelan said he was in court on December 19, 20 and 21, on one of which days Upperman said he got the money from Whelan in Whelan's office.

Many Character Witnesses

Assistant District Attorneys Hitz and Murray testified to the good character of Whelan and O'Connell. Hitz confirmed what Whelan said about being in court all the three days in December.

Prosecution and defense counsel then placed in the record by stipulation testimony to the good character of Whelan and O'Connell by Leslie C. Garnett, former district attorney; John L. Smith, William E. Richards, John R. Fitzpatrick, Morris Simon, Alvin Newmeyer, William E. Hughs, J. Edward Mitchell, William H. Collins, John W. O'Dea, George P. Hoover, William E. Leahy, Judge Nathan Cayton, Godfrey Munter, former District Bar Association president; U. S. Commissioner Needham Turnage, John Carmody, Robert E. Lynch, Raymond Dixon and John Walsh.

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Prince Georges Backs Bill for Incinerator

$100,000 Bond Issue Asked for Plant At Bladensburg

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Two bills affecting Laurel and an amendment to the measure of 1937, authorizing the Sanitary Commission to float a $100,000 bond issue for construction of an incinerator at Bladensburg, were introduced yesterday in the State Legislature by the Prince Georges County delegation.

One of the Laurel bills provides for an increase of 15 cents per $100 in the tax rate to finance a garbage-collection system. The other asks that the town be empowered to issue bonds up to $16,000 for construction of a municipal building. The project has been approved by the PWA and a grant of 45 per cent has been promised if Congress makes additional funds available for public works.

The amendment to the 1937 incinerator bill provides for minor changes designed to increase its effectiveness. The original bill, besides providing for the bond issue, authorized the Sanitary Commission to prohibit promiscuous dumping of refuse and provided for a service charge for use of the incinerator when completed.

Sasscer to Be Feted

Representative Lansdale C. Sasscer, newly elected Representative from the Fifth Maryland District, will be feted at a banquet in the Beaver Dam Country Club, February 28. Gov. O'Conor, Speaker William B. Bankhead, Postmaster General James A. Farley and Dr. H. C. Byrd, president of the University of Maryland, are expected to attend.

Representative Sasscer is the first Congressman from Prince Georges County in more than half a century. He won the seat from A. Kingsley Love, Republican, of St. Marys County, in a special election February 3 to fill the vacancy created by the death of Representative Stephen W. Gambrill last December.

The victory banquet will be given by the Democratic caravan committee of Prince Georges County, which was organized to support Sasscer in his unsuccessful bid for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination in the State primary last September.

Dr. DeVault Named

College Park—Dr. H. S. DeVault, head of the department of agricultural economics at the University of Maryland, has been named by the Secretary of Commerce as chairman of the advisory committee on the 1940 census of agriculture, it was announced here yesterday.

Serving on the committee with Dr. DeVault will be William F. Callander, chairman of the crop reporting board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics; Fred Brenckman, Washington representative of the National Grange; Harold Jeunet, representing the Agricultural Publishers Association; H. G. Keeny, vice president of the Farmers Educational and Co-operative Union of America; W. R. Ogg, director of research, American Farm Bureau Federation, and Ole A. Negaard, special consultant, Central Statistical Board.

Baseball Movie Planned

College Park—Bill Werber, of Calvert Hills, major league baseball star, will show a movie, "The First Century of Baseball," at the elementary school here at 7 o'clock Monday night. The film will be shown for benefit of the school and will precede the regular meeting of the Home and School Association.

900 to Present Tableaux

College Park—A cast of 900 students will take part in tableaux featuring the annual All-University Night program at the University of Maryland tonight. The entertainment also will include a basketball game and boxing match.

Script for the tableaux, which depict extra-curricular activities, was written by three coeds—Ann Ames, of Washington; Tommy St. Clair, of College Park, and Peggy Maslin, of Port Chester, N. Y. The program is under direction of Lieut. Col. Joseph D. Patch, professor of military science and tactics.

Scouters to Hear Wheatley

Brentwood—State's Attorney H. Winship Wheatley, jr., will address the sixth annual Scouters and Ladies banquet of the Prince Georges County Division of the Boy Scouts Monday night at 7 o'clock in the Holbrook Dairy Building here.

Invited guests include three officials of the National Capital Area Council—Dr. Camp Stanley, commissioner; Linn C. Drake, Scout executive, and Rock Kirkham, assistant Scout executive. Representatives of the county's civic and service organizations also will attend.

Mrs. Mitchell Rites Set Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Catherine M. Mitchell, 49, wife of Mayo C. Mitchell, of the Government Printing Office, will be held at St. Gabriel's Catholic Church at 10 a. m. today. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Mrs. Mitchell, who made her home at 4521 Georgia avenue, was educated at the St. Aloysius' School and Notre Dame Academy.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Mitchell leaves three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Wisenberg, Mrs. Mary Daniels, and Mrs. Margaret McLane, all of this city.

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Montgomery Seeks to Free $225,000 for School Projects

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Eight legislative measures headed by an enabling act to permit construction of $225,000 worth of school projects in the county were introduced in the Maryland General Assembly yesterday by the Montgomery County delegation.

The school bill will make available for new projects the unexpended portion of the 1937 school bond issue of $724,000, which was allocated in the original law to specific items. Since enactment of the original law, addition of Public Works Administration funds permitted construction of the program without expending all money permitted in the bond issue act. However, since this money was earmarked, enabling legislation is required to permit its use for other items. Construction of all of 1937 items either has been or is about to be started.

Major items to be financed by the remaining amount, plus Federal funds, will be a new elementary school north of the East-West highway and east of Wisconsin avenue to serve the Bethesda-Chevy Chase community; a five-room addition to the Parkside School in Silver Spring; addition to the Alta Vista Elementary School and improvements to schools at Gaithersburg, Poolesville, Woodside and Sherwood.

A bond issue of $150,000 is authorized to provide funds for purchase of land for extension of the George Washington Memorial parkway into Montgomery County, along the Potomac River to Great Falls. The proceeds of the bond issue will be turned over to the Federal Government, which will match the appropriation dollar for dollar and purchase land, develop and maintain the parkway and construct a new highway.

Development of a recreational center for Bethesda and Chevy Chase on land formerly used by the Department of Agriculture as an animal testing laboratory, and deeded several years ago to the State of Maryland for park purposes, is provided in a $30,000 bond issue bill. Another $75,000 bond issue is authorized to construct a new highway along the former right of way of the abandoned Kensington trolley lines from North Chevy Chase through Rock Creek Park to the north end of Kensington at the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks.

A final bond issue of $40,000 is provided to complete the Poolesville-Whites Ferry road to the Potomac River at Whites Ferry. The school bond issues and the Poolesville-Whites Ferry road project will stand as obligations of the entire county, while the remainder will be obligations of the metropolitan area of the county only.

The delegation also introduced a bill repealing the law requiring a referendum on all bond issues. The new act eliminates the referendum on all of the bonds provided in yesterday's legislation and on all new school bond issues, but will keep it in effect on all bonds issued for any other purpose hereafter.

The other two new measures repeal the law providing for semiannual payment of county taxes and re-establishing the former single annual payment, and repeal the law forbidding the board of county commissioners from employing any attorney except the counsel to the board.

Court Session Monday

Rockville. — Announcement was made yesterday that the orphans court will be in session Monday and Tuesday next week in order not to conflict with the George Washington's Birthday holiday on Wednesday. The court usually is in session on Tuesdays.

Concert for Symphony

Takoma Park—The choral group of the Takoma Park Women's Club will give a concert the night of February 25 for the benefit of the National Symphony Orchestra fund at the Presbyterian Church Hall, Maple avenue.

Mrs. Carolyn O. Green, director, has arranged to have Lela Mead Burt, well-known violinist, and the Euphonic Quartet on the program, besides the chorus of 18.

The committee in charge consists of Mrs. Clarence Ross, Mrs. Frederick L. Pratt, Mrs. S. Edward Widdifield, Mrs. Harry I. Houston, Mrs. Hugh M. Smythe and Mrs. Frank A. Nickols.

Among patrons and patronesses will be Dr. Benjamin G. Wilkinson, sr., president of the Washington Missionary College and Mrs. Wilkinson, Col. and Mrs. A. L. Conger, Capt. and Mrs. H. W. Orcutt, the Rev. and Mrs. R. Paul Schearrer, Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Wetmore, Prof. and Mrs. George W. Greer, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Lewton, Prof. and Mrs. Louis D. Bliss, Mayor and Mrs. John R. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Axtell, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Blachley, Mr. and Mrs. John Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duehring, Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Harman, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Emory, Prof. and Mrs. J. W. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Potts, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph I. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. R. Deane Shure, Dr. and Mrs. Alexander Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Volmer, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Stern, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Waters, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Taft and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Williams.

Mrs. Wells Speaks

Silver Spring—Mrs. Ralph Wells, president of the Women's Democratic Club of Montgomery County, was speaker at a meeting of the Young Women's Democratic Club of Silver Spring. She spoke on the advantages of belonging to a political club and urged the members to study State and National legislation. Plans were made for a dance in April.

School Variety Show

Silver Spring—A variety show to raise funds for the delegates from Takoma-Silver Spring Junior High School to the Scholastic Press Association convention in New York next month was held yesterday afternoon at the school.

Given under the direction of Miss Dorothy Burdette, the show presented a number of acts and musical numbers by the students. Alberta Butler, Amy Clark and Ellis Clark gave a cowboy act. Charles Cook gave an accordion solo, Alden Emery played the flute and Eileen Wilson gave several dances. Arlene Sanborn sang and Ted Lawrie, master of ceremonies, also sang. Other entertainers were Gertrude Jenkins, Marguerite Jenkins, Rosemary McKnight, Thelma Rundvold, Jean Thomas, George Graves, Dick Googins, Miss Julia Wilson.

Gov. O'Conor Seals Record Box to Be Opened in 2034

Annapolis, Feb. 17 (AP).—Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor revealed himself as a handy man around the house today when he wielded a snappy screwdriver to seal a strongbox full of Maryland 1934 tercentenary records.

The chief executive bolted down the lid on the strongbox which will not be opened until 2034 during the celebration of the 400th anniversary of the founding of the State.

Miss Elizabeth Chew Williams, active in the 1934 tercentenary celebration preparation, suggested sealing the tercentenary records in the hall of records vaults until the next centennial celebration. She said her tercentenary group had been handicapped by lack of records of the bicentenary celebration committee in 1834.

Fairfax Pastor Will Preach on 'True Religion'

The Rev. R. C. Maxwell To Talk Tomorrow At Andrew Chapter

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Fairfax—The Rev. R. Carl Maxwell pastor of the Fairfax Methodist Circuit, will deliver the sixth sermon in a series on "What Is True Religion", tomorrow at Andrew Chapel at 11 a. m., Centerville at 2:45 p. m. and Fairfax at 7:30 p. m. Young people's day will be observed at a unified service. The topic "Youth on the March" will be lead by Miss Virginia Carr, superintendent of the young people's group. Music will be furnished by the junior and senior choirs.

The Fairfax County Council of Religious Education will meet in the Fairfax Church Monday at 8 p. m.

"Crazy Cowboys" in Vienna

Vienna—An entertainment sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association will be held tonight in the auditorium of the Vienna school. Entertainment will be furnished by "The Crazy Cowboys."

To Talk on Arabia

Clifton—Dr. G. Frederick Owen will give a lecture on Arabia in the Clifton Presbyterian Church tonight at 8 o'clock. Both Baptist and Presbyterian Sunday schools are sponsoring the talk.

Methodist Party

Herndon—The members of the Herndon Methodist Episcopal Church and the Woolf Memorial M. E. Church South will hold a Washington's Birthday good will party at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. W. Boyd Bryant Wednesday at 8 p. m. Mrs. Robert Stephens, Mrs. James Myers, Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Mrs. W. Boyd Bryant, Mrs. J. H. Broome, Miss Charlotte Chamblin and Miss Estelle Holden have been named the committee in charge of the party.

Bake Sale Today

Falls Church—The women of the Southern Methodist Church will hold a bake sale this morning in the former Lynch hardware store on East Broad street. Mrs. Clarence Hirst and Mrs. J. G. Smith are in charge.

Pastor Atkinson to Talk

Vienna—The Rev. Lowell M. Atkinson, pastor of Vienna and Oakton M. E. Churches, will preach the final sermon in the current series on the Gospel of Luke tomorrow morning. The theme of the sermon will be "At Home With a Pharisee." The Oakton service will begin at 10:30 and the united Methodist and Presbyterian service at Vienna at 11:30.

In the Epworth League service Jennings Brown will speak on George Washington. The meeting will be held in the Vienna Methodist Church at 7 p. m. tomorrow.

Rites for Mrs. Adrian

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Moran Adrian, 75, of Herndon, retired employe of the Veterans Bureau in Washington, who died Thursday, will be held today at 2 p. m. in the Herndon Congregational Church. The Rev. George L. Gee, former pastor of the church, will conduct the services. Burial will be in Union Cemetery at Leesburg, Va.

She leaves her husband, Carl A. Adrian; a daughter, Mrs. Leonard L. Burgher, of Herndon; a son, C. Albert Adrian, of Lyon Village, Arlington, and two grandchildren.

R. S. Thornburgh, Newspaperman, Succumbs at 48

Robert S. Thornburgh, 48, Treasury Department press officer and for many years a Washington newspaper correspondent, died yesterday in Mount Alto Hospital of a heart attack.

Mr. Thornburg, who lived at 1817 Kenyon street northwest, served as a lieutenant in the World War. He was wounded in action. Mr. Thornburgh joined the Treasury staff in July, 1937.

A thirty-second degree Mason, Mr. Thornburgh was a member of the American Legion, the University Club and the National Press Club.

Surviving are a brother, Richard T. Thornburgh, Philadelphia, and a sister, Margaret Thornburgh, of Richmond, Ind.

The membership of the Treasury Correspondents Association will attend services for Mr. Thornburgh, who founded the association.

Legislative Bloc Urges Ridgely as State Police Head

Annapolis, Md., Feb. 17 (AP).—Two representatives of a bloc of 14 State Senators laid before Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor the group's recommendation that Lieut. Ruxton Ridgely be named superintendent of the State police, authoritative sources disclosed today.

Senate President Arthur Brice and Senator James Lindsay went to Gov. O'Conor to convey the bloc's recommendation, it was said.

Major Elmer F. Munshower, the third State police superintendent named by Gov. Nice during his four year term and a former Mayor of Frederick, already had been given support for reappointment by the Frederick County Democratic Central Committee.

Maj. Munshower, a lieutenant colonel in the Maryland National Guard, is a Republican.

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The Vacant Judgeships

After many months of delay the appointments of two of the three new judges authorized for the District court by the last Congress have been completed. With Judge Goldsborough on the bench, a new start can be made toward clearing congested dockets. But full benefits of last year's judiciary act will await the filling of the additional District judgeship and the appointment of a new member to the Circuit Court of Appeals for the District.

Meanwhile the courts themselves are failing to utilize their inadequate personnel in the most effective manner. The transfer of Judge Laws to the civil branch of the court will be noted with bewilderment by those who have followed his excellent work in the Warring scandal. In his brief period on the bench Judge Laws has demonstrated a remarkable capacity for work. He has become known beyond the boundaries of the District as a foe of rackets and corruption. The presence on the criminal bench of a man who thus demonstrates his ability to cope with the tricks of the underworld is in itself a positive aid to law enforcement.

Nevertheless, Judge Laws is to be shifted to the civil division of the court as soon as the Warring case and all of its ramifications have been disposed of. Aside from the failure to take full advantage of the psychological value of this scandal, the transfer may dash the hopes of District Attorney Pine for attainment of a current criminal docket. Two judges are not enough to bring the criminal calendar up to date and thus make swift justice a further deterrent to crime.

It is possible, of course, that Judge Goldsborough will be assigned to criminal cases. That would substantially improve the present outlook so far as law enforcement is concerned. An early filling of vacancies by competent men would permit progress in the fields of both criminal and civil justice.

Our Military Missions

The problem of the defense of the Americas against external aggression clearly concerns the United States which, for more than 100 years, has made the Monroe Doctrine a major pivot of its foreign policy. But, obviously the problem is also of vital concern to the other 20 New World republics. Like the United States, each of them must take into account the possibility that at some time in the future it may become the object of attack from outside this hemisphere.

This does not mean that a continental alliance, such as was suggested by some on the eve of the Lima conference, is either necessary or desirable. But a certain measure of co-ordination in the respective defense programs of the American republics is clearly in order.

For some time the United States has shown a readiness to give every assistance possible to our neighboring republics in the direction of helping to organize, train and advise their armies and navies. We already have a military mission in Brazil, an aviation mission in Argentina, and military advisers in other countries of the New World. These missions were all sent at the request of the governments of those countries, and their usefulness is attested by the fact that other Latin-American nations have also asked our military and naval authorities to render them similar assistance in helping advise and train their defense personnel.

In consequence, the United States will in the course of the next year double the number of our military representatives in Latin-American republics. At the same time, as a result of a recent act of Congress, the admission of Latin-American students into United States military academies has been made possible. The number of those that will take advantage of this law is expected to rise rapidly during the next years.

The importance of this latter development can not be minimized. Germany and Italy have for some time made strenuous efforts to induce young officers of Latin-American republics to study in their military schools. They have felt, and possibly not without reason, that every one of these officers, on his return to his homeland, might become a conscious or unconscious missionary for the totalitarian powers. By the same token, should the young officers come to this country instead of going to Germany and Italy, they would return with a better understanding of the United States and of American democracy. The need for such understanding has never been greater.

Peace After Victory?

Whether the fact causes regret or rejoicing there can be little doubt that the insurgents have won the civil war in Spain. President Azana, who is in Paris working for a negotiated peace, evidently recognizes that this is the case. So do the thousands of soldiers from the defeated army of Catalonia who are said to be enlisting with Franco. So does the great majority of a civil population to whom a continuation of fighting merely means protraction of horror which has already reached the very limits of human endurance.

Premier Negrin and a minority of the republican leaders seem ready to continue the hopeless struggle, to defend Madrid and Valencia against the splendidly-equipped armies which the Nationalists are now moving against the few provinces still under loyalist control. Their courage is admirable. But this die-hard stand is reasonable only if it helps to induce Franco to offer guarantees against reprisals and otherwise to assume a conciliatory attitude. One hopes that the Nationalist leader will in any case wish to show magnanimity. For if there is none of this quality in Franco's nature the urgent task of Spanish reconstruction will be far more difficult to accomplish.

A realistic estimate of the existing situation is pushing the British and French governments to formal recognition of Franco's rule. There will be nothing admirable in that action. Indeed from the outset there has been nothing admirable in French and British policy towards the Spanish civil war. Both these countries materially weakened the loyalist government by a program of non-intervention which Italy and Germany contemptuously refused to observe. But having pursued this program throughout it is at least logical for London and Paris to recognize the faction which it has aided. Eventually the same reasoning will probably control the American attitude in the issue.

From the French and British viewpoint, as distinct from that of the United States, the recognition of Franco at the earliest possible moment is not merely logical but also desirable strategy. Delay will not be due to doubt as to the advisability of recognition but to unwillingness to weaken the effort for a negotiated peace. By Anglo-French recognition, and by financial assistance to which it is a necessary preliminary, it is believed that the great influence of Italy and Germany with Franco can be neutralized. And fear that the Fascist advantage may in this way be frustated is apparent in the shrill outcry with which the Italian press is condemning the evolving Anglo-French policy.

The fighting draws to a close in Spain; not so the clash of influences there. As a result of Franco's victory Russia is obviously out of the picture in western Europe. In this particular the fall of Barcelona has completed what the Munich conference initiated. But the elimination of the Communist factor has helped to clarify by removing an extraneous element. There is now less possibility of concealing the underlying tension between the Berlin-Rome axis and that connecting London and Paris.

Whether this tension can be constructively relieved, or whether it will progressively increase until the breaking point is reached, is now the overshadowing problem of world statesmanship. Even into such seemingly nonpolitical issues as the election of the new Pope this play of forces penetrates. It is not without influence in the visit of the Brazilian Foreign Minister to Washington, or in the vote of Congressmen to improve aviation facilities on the distant island of Guam. No part of the world is too distant from the seismic center to escape the tremors.

On the complicated chessboard of international politics a pawn—Franco—has been pushed through to become an important piece. His abilities as a statesman are now of far greater importance than his military skill. The latter he has demonstrated, but as the dominant leader of a shattered, exhausted and embittered people his reputation is still to be established.

The question is no longer whether the Spanish Nationalists will win. It is the use they will make of their victory, and its consequence for the world, which is now at issue.

The Moral Is Clear

None will fail to sympathize with A. Conti Berenguer, the young government worker whose ambitious fling as an opera impresario ended abruptly Thursday night. Then, just before the opening of the last of the four operas he had scheduled, the musicians struck. They refused to play a note until they had been paid for their past services and given assurance that their future rewards would be something more substantial than applause. And they, too, are not to be blamed. Music is balm to the soul. But it is inadequate fare for the stomach.

The moral of the episode lies in the danger of shoe-string financing of artistic ventures which are not, for that reason, lacking in coldly commercial problems. For Washingtonians it should bring home the fact that good music and good opera are expensive delights, requiring more than the casual and unorganized support of the community.

It is a point which comes with particular force at a moment when the drive for the National Symphony Orchestra has reached its half-way mark, but is still considerably short of the minimum goal essential to insure continuation of that fine enterprise.

Discriminating Criticism

Representative Kennedy's appeal for consideration of the Griffenhagen report on its merits comes at an opportune time. In general the report has been favorably received. Some of its specific recommendations, however, have aroused opposition. It is of the utmost importance that this criticism be directed at the specific weak points and not at the reorganization movement as a whole.

In some particulars the Griffenhagen report is vague. Some changes appear to have been recommended without adequate consideration for the special problems of the agencies affected. As Mr. Kennedy points out, however, the report is "a serious and earnest attempt to provide a sound and practical solution of a problem that has baffled those interested in local government in the District for many decades." Certainly it should be thoughtfully analyzed from the viewpoint of the community welfare.

The resignation of Henry I. Quinn from the Board of Education brings into the open the dissatisfaction of various school authorities with the report. Mr. Quinn left the board so as to be free to "oppose to the limit" the proposal to bring the schools into a unified municipal government. The presentation of a constructive report intended to give the District a responsible government is no occasion for so pugnacious an attitude. What is called for is thoughtful and open-minded discussion from the viewpoint of community interests as a whole.

Unquestionably the weakest part of the Griffenhagen plan is that dealing with the schools, the libraries and such special agencies as the Alley Dwelling Authority. Mr. Kennedy may have had these autonomous activities in mind when he indicated that some modification of the Griffenhagen plan is probable. The experts appear to have swept the schools into a centralized administrative system with only casual attention to their special status. In the drafting of legislation more detailed consideration of this issue will be essential.

The motif of the Griffenhagen plan is simplicity. So far as the schools are concerned, however, the experts' formula might produce an opposite result. Authority would be divided instead of being centralized. Control of policy would fluctuate somewhat uncertainly between the proposed governing body and the advisory committee on education. And the director of education, or superintendent of schools, would apparently be left without adequate administrative authority.

Fortunately, these difficulties can readily be overcome without in any way upsetting the general plan for reorganization of the present makshift local government. A majority of citizens might prefer to leave the schools, the libraries and perhaps the ADA untouched, if that would not jeopardize modernization elsewhere. But with a District council or commission in control of the local budget, as contemplated by the Griffenhagen report, some relationship between this agency and the schools would seem essential. The problem is to provide adequate safeguards against any political interference with education.

If the schools are made a part of the municipal government, therefore, control of educational policy must still be left entirely in the hands of a special board of well-qualified citizens. It is not enough to set up an advisory committee. A special school board would be far more competent than the proposed District council to make final decisions in this field. And there is no reason why it should not be granted that authority.

Obviously, too, control of personnel should be left within the school system. That would not mean a separate personnel system. But qualifications for teachers ought to be fixed by the school authorities and appointments from the qualified lists should be left to the superintendent.

The task for critics of the Griffenhagen plan is to work out means of adjusting the general proposals to the peculiar needs of Washington. Many compromises will be essential. To oppose the contemplated reorganization *in toto* merely because it is weak in some particulars would be a grave disservice to the community.

"Thanks, Too Much"

From the Chattanooga News

News dispatches tell how Marsden S. Smith, Richmond public official, answered his phone and the caller wanted to know why the fountain display in Byrd Park had been cut off.

When Mr. Smith explained it was cut off every night at 11:30, the citizen said he had overnight visitors from Philadelphia.

"And would it be possible just to cut on the fountain—say for ten minutes."

Mr. Smith thought it would and arranged for the multicolored display to be turned on from 12:15 to 12:25 a. m.

Then he crawled back into bed.

The telephone jangled again . . . this time about 1 a. m.

It was the citizen—a grateful citizen, wishing to express thanks.

Engineers Doubt Strength Of Capitol Roof

Letters to the Editor

All communications must carry the writers' name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

Miss Perkins Defended

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The present campaign against the Secretary of Labor by certain groups in and out of Congress is characterized equally by the abuse of her enemies and the shameful silence of those whose duty it should be to defend her.

It is high time that someone forced these people and these groups that are so indignant because the Secretary of Labor has not deported their "bete noir" (or rather, "bete rouge") Mr. Harry Bridges (who denies being a Communist), to take one long and careful look at the record.

Never before, under any Secretary or Minister of Labor, either in this country or abroad, have so many far-reaching reforms, which in other countries have taken decades of gradual change, been accomplished within so brief a period of time.

Moreover, the Secretary of Labor, who in regard to industrial disputes has no powers of compulsion or coercion whatsoever, has been confronted with a truly unparalleled situation. A bitter struggle is being waged simultaneously on two fronts —between labor and capital over the right to associate and bargain collectively on the one, and between the two great labor organizations on the other.

It ill becomes the chief beneficiaries of the Secretary of Labor's efforts, both houses of labor and their progressive friends, to be found among mudslingers and ingrates.

It is said that Miss Perkins' relations with the press are partly to blame for her failure to secure more popular support. If good relations with the press are to be the criterion of the ability of a Cabinet officer, then doubtless the day has come when Mr. Billie Rose is the natural choice for an important Government office.

J. JOHNSTON BOROUGH.
Washington, Feb. 5.

Flood Dangers?

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: A letter in The Post of February 8, signed H. C. M., points out once more the flood perils that are being increased by the filling in of Gravelly Point—not to mention the filling in of part of the Tidal Basin to accommodate the misplaced Thomas Jefferson Memorial.

H. C. M. predicts that after the raising of Gravelly Point the first high waters will submerge Hains Point, since with the new levee protecting Hoover Airport on this side of the river there is simply not enough channel left to accommodate flood waters.

So the next thing necessary will be the leveeing of Potomac Park, which in turn will require the leveeing of Gravelly Point. Next the Anacostia levee and all the waterfront of Washington will have to go up to meet the other levees.

Says this correspondent: "When you try to shackle old man river you have started something." Ah, yes indeed!

But think of all the fat lucrative pork "projects" that you have likewise started, all calling for practically unlimited expenditures of taxpayers' money for concrete and cement.

T. H. RUSSELL.
Washington, Feb. 9.

Baseball Holiday

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I fully approve of the bill, recently introduced to Representative James A. Stanley, of Connecticut, to authorize the President to proclaim a national baseball holiday.

I only wish that he would add a "rider" to his bill requiring that a President should toss the ball out with his left hand if he were a liberal, and if he were a conservative, throw with his right.

This method would warn the spectators in advance whether they were going to see a baseball game or a sit-down strike. A SPECTATOR.
Washington, Feb. 10.

Taxicab Fares

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: May I offer a couple of observations on the taxicab issue which to my knowledge have not been adduced in the present hearings.

A taxicab serves an average of 30 persons a day.

A private car serves on an average one or two persons one or two hours a day. The rest of the time it either blocks a public street or adds to the revenues of the nontaxpaying owner and the operators of a private parking lot. Therefore as a matter of simple equity it would seem that taxicabs being public vehicles should have priority in public streets over private vehicles—and that the unlimited use of public streets by private vehicles is where restrictions should begin.

Parking meters are a step in the right direction for they compel at least rotation of curb occupancy with enough time to transact necessary business and prohibit monopoly of parking space by "curb hogs."

In regard to more adequate revenues for taxicab drivers—which most certainly they need, though some of the groups seem fearful of asking for more lest they lose patronage and even their present meager livelihood—I wonder if the following suggestion has had consideration:

Instead of increasing the rates per zone how would it be to increase the rates per passenger? Keeping the present minimum rate of 20 cents for the first zone for one person, would it not be fair enough to charge 30 cents for two persons, for example?

Street cars do not carry two or more passengers for the same charge as one. I wonder why we continue to expect taxicabs to do so.

THERESA H. RUSSELL.
Washington, Feb. 16.

Accidents And Ambiguities

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The numerous hit-and-run accidents have moved members of Congress to introduce legislation, increasing the penalty for this most serious offense, but it seems to me that it would be much more practical if, as a beginning at least, they would endeavor to clarify and make intelligible the present law on that subject.

One would expect to find a clear-cut statement of the duties and responsibilities of a person involved in an accident. Instead of that, we find a hodge-podge of language which fails to clearly indicate to the average person just what he is supposed to do.

If the traffic act as quoted on page 14 of the Regulations says anything (and I rather doubt that it does), it seems to indicate that a motorist can leave the victim lying in the road while he goes to a police station to report the accident. That is not, of course, what is intended, but that is what it says, I believe. THE OBSERVER.
Washington, Feb. 13.

The Griffenhagen Report

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I congratulate you on the stand that you have taken on the Griffenhagen report. This is a forward step in our District government.

ARTHUR CLARENDON SMITH.
Founder and First President Federation of Business Men's Associations.
Washington, Feb. 16.

The Warring Scandal

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The disgraceful outcome of the second Warring trial would seem to point to a cesspool of corruption deep and wide enough to warrant searching investigation by a Federal grand jury.

It was admitted at the first trial that police were bribed by the accused, though of course the names of the recipients were suppressed. It is now clear that the jury in the first trial was "fixed," and it seems clear that the bribers were well on the way to "fix" the second jury.

Decent citizens of Washington ought to demand with unmistakable unanimity that all the facts in the putrid situation arising from this case be laid bare for all to see and judge. Only thus may the processes of justice be protected from dishonor and the integrity of our judicial system preserved. There are too many inferences and innuendos suggesting that others may be involved. Too long has there been a stench arising from some sources in connection with the practice of criminal law, activities of bondsmen and the workings of the probation system in the District of Columbia.

These things, coupled with the situation revealed by the Warring case, should be cleared up and cleaned up by an exhaustive grand jury investigation with whatever appropriate judicial or Congressional action that may result.

K. L. WAGNER.
Washington, Feb. 9.

Barefoot Vs. Reynolds

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The long attack on the junior Senator from North Carolina in a letter to The Post of February 5, by T. A. Bruce Barefoot seemed motivated by his lament that: "There was a time when American Senators advocated defense of American interests abroad and let the other country worry lest war should develop." Thank God, the day is past, I say, when the taxpayers' money and the youth of our land could be sacrificed in foreign wars for foreign investments, or for the sake of oil in Mexico, in China, or for the dumping of our surplus manufactured products in Europe at a price far less than paid by us taxpayers here at home. All honor and acclaim to Senator Robert R. Reynolds for opposing any messing in other countries' domestic business and for fighting sordid dollar diplomacy and war. P. AMOS.
Washington, Feb. 5.

The National Anthem

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Frederick Jagel, Metropolitan Opera singer, according to a news article, objects to "The Star-Spangled Banner" as the national anthem. He gives the oft-cited criticisms that the sound range is too wide, that a drinking song was once sung to the air and that the words are inappropriate.

He has, apparently, a fourth objection, arising from an embarrassed moment in a South American visit, when, upon being invited to sing it, he could not remember the words. He has also, presumably, just discovered that it was made official for the Army in 1917 and, by act of Congress, made the national anthem in 1931. He suggests we ought to discard it and get another.

This would be curious enough, but the climax is reached when it is stated that Jagel has talked the matter over with Jack Dempsey, who agrees with him. Who is Dempsey to find fault with the American anthem at this late date?

ROBERT G. MacCARTEE.
Hyattsville, Feb. 15.

The Post Impressionist

Evening Out

"AS I TRAVEL about the country, I am asked every little while two questions: 'What has become of 1234 Pennsylvania avenue?' or, 'Is Shoemaker's still there?'"

But he didn't have a chance. He had touched the memory cells of the old boys and one by one they fired. Col. Jones led off: "To many Washington visitors Hancock's, at 1-2-3-4, was the only place in town. They arrived early and they never got beyond that place. To them Washington was Hancock's and 1-2-3-4 was all of the District of Columbia. Then some friend put them on the return train and they had visited the Capital of the country.

"Their mistake was radical; they got the idea that Hancock's was primarily a filling station and they proceeded to get full. The truth is Hancock's was a gastronomic palace disguised as a country restaurant where you could get real fried chicken with Virginia corn pone, or any other southern delicacy, and wash it down with whatever appealed to you. But, these strangers began at the wrong end: Instead of walking straight through the bar in the front and settling themselves at a table in the rear for food, they lingered to look at the photographs of distinguished and extinguished celebrities, the museum of lethal weapons, and all that sort of thing, and quite incidentally absorbed too many mint juleps or sherry cobblers.

"I never thought much of Hancock's as a museum, for I have little use for the micabre, but strangers fell for it. And its drinks were a little too heady for me, but its cusine was perfect and the service was by colored waiters, who fitted into my scheme of things. One needed a guide at Hancock's, for the restaurant was the thing, not the bar."

Right here, Maj. Augustus Parmenides Nutt took the lead: "But Colonel, while that was true of Hancock's, just the opposite was the fact at Shoemaker's over on E street, just beyond the National Theater. There the bar was all in all, and you couldn't get a bite and pay for it; you had to rely on the free lunch. Any man who wandered into Shoemaker's to buy a lunch or get a glass of beer soon found he had made a mistake; the lunch was free and while they might serve you beer, if you insisted, the place was a hard-liquor emporium. Out front, as you entered, there was a case and bottled goods warehouse presided over by the 'Deacon'—who was a real deacon, or Sunday school superintendent, by the way—and, after you had found your way past the barrels and cases piled on the floor, you found yourself in the queerest bar-room you ever saw.

"The room was not really big, but it looked as big as a barn, and there were round tables and chairs here and there. The bar was spic and span, but the ceiling and side walls were covered by cobwebs which were the prized possession of the place."

"Very true, Major," it was the Irrepressible One who now butted in; "but that same Shoemaker's was the place where your foot was likely to slip. I used to keep away from that place; because of the hard-liquor and hard-drinking reputation it had and the last time I was there, oh, many, many years ago, was my downfall.

"It happened in this way. It was warm weather and I had been working very hard; so, when I left the office about 5 o'clock, I had one set idea in my head: I would go to Gerstenberg's, get a cool glass of Wurtzberger, get on the Fourteenth street car, and go home. Nothing radically wrong with that; but fate or the devil had other plans for me. At the corner of Fourteenth and E streets I met my old friend Vespasian Cavadally, a Charlestonian who was attorney for the Southern Railway. Now, when Vespasian and I met, it was an opportunity to swap stories and modern instances. And that was what we did. But I was thirsty to begin with and so when my turn came I told him where I was headed.

"'O, no!' said he, 'lets go to Shoemaker's and get a real drink!' Well we knew each other well enough for him to do that trick and it was innocent enough, if we had been let alone; but, after we had had a couple of rounds, in going out we ran into a bunch of railway officials and Vespasian made the mistake of introducing us all around. And there came in the vile American custom of treating.

"Somewhere about 8 o'clock I looked across the table and vaguely saw Vespasian. 'Done yer thin' we better go home, hic?' 'Sure, le's go,' he answered. Well, sir, we did get home; but how, I am not sure. As I went up the walk there were my wife and the children sitting on the steps.

"'Hello, Sweezart;' I greeted her, in my airiest manner.

"To this she replied in quiet, but cold, tones: 'The top floor for you!' Well, sirs, I went there and remained until breakfast the next morning. Then, as a sort of apology, I began:

"'I went by Shoemaker's yesterday—'

"'Yes, and your foot slipped. Say no more.'

"I said no more.

"My wife's a fine woman and we still live together."

WADE TENCH.

Outstanding Commentators On Current Events At Home And Abroad

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Flank Attacks

HAROLD ICKES—don't go; this one isn't about the press—said in that speech of his last week that the modern newspaper publisher could dish it but couldn't take it. This is a round phrase which sacrifices precision for effect. The truth is that the publishers can take it but don't enjoy it, and the answer is, "aren't we all?"

The case was stated better a long time ago in a fight at the old Garden when Benny Leonard, or another of those marvelous master fighters of the early 20's, was punching the ears off some poor, stubborn dummy and a customer yelled, "in the belly, he doesn't like 'em there." The winning fighter calmly tied up the other guy's arms, stopped the fight for an instant and asked, "do you know anyone that does?"

Of course, nobody likes it—neither Ickes, nor Mr. Roosevelt, nor the New Deal, nor the Republicans, nor Hitler, nor the Communists. Do you?

Rest Cures At U. S. Expense

ICKES HIMSELF likes to dish it, but he squeals like a pig under a gate when he has to take it. Did you hear him yell about the flank attack? He was thinking about the story of his rest cure in the Naval Hospital in Washington at $3.75 a day under the authority of a law which merely says that a naval doctor shall be in attendance on the Congress. It doesn't say that the members shall have hospital treatment for less than the cost of a pitcher-and-bowl flop in a flea-bag out around town. And, moreover, Ickes is, by no stretch of the imagination, a member of Congress.

Well, maybe it is a flank attack, but if Ickes is entitled to such service at such a price it is no attack at all.

But since when has Ickes felt that way about the propriety of the flank attack? I don't recall any protests from him about a flank attack when the Administration flaunted the income taxes of anti-New Dealers in retaliation for their opposition to the court thing. That was a flank attack for you.

Posing a Question About Klux Case

ANOTHER PARALLEL:—In his magazine piece Ickes denounced Charlie Coughlin's mass telegraphic protest on the reorganization bill as of "a witch's mess of Ku Kluxism," and I am inclined to ask why his abhorrence of the Ku Klux didn't express itself when the President appointed to the Supreme Court a life member of the Klux who joined that organization at the height of its power and depth of its activities.

Ickes posed the old question of consistency in store clothes

The Communists and Reds of paler hue are human, too. They use big, cobblestone words on anyone who is out of step with them, but any retaliation is Red baiting, as though there was something wrong in baiting them back.

Hitler and Mussolini also strut the world with blood in their boots and a gun in each hand, but yell "war monger!" at anyone who shops around for an air rifle. Hitler slaughters minorities but screamed "outrage!" because his Sudetens weren't freely allowed to corrupt Czecho-Slovakia. The Communists taught him that.

Human Nature Exhibits Itself

LATELY a prominent Catholic publication has been roaring "censorship!" because Coughlin has been silenced for refusing to submit his copy beforehand. But the same publication silenced anti-Catholic radio orators a few years ago, and its protests then could serve as models for the anti-Coughlin protests now. "Bigotry!" was the cry against the anti-Catholic propaganda, and "bigotry!" now is the cry against Coughlin's anti-Semitism. "Freedom of speech" was the anti-Catholic reply then, and "freedom of speech" is cried again today by those who support Coughlin.

Employers organized but fought organization by employes. Employers armed but yelled "anarchy!" when strikers did so, too. Then organized employes used terrorist methods against nonstrikers and unioneers who themselves had coerced and intimated American citizens in New York went to Jersey City to defend civil liberties. The principle involved in Frank Hague's case was exactly the same that was at stake in New York, and the method differed only in degree. Hague, in Jersey, had the muscle to go the limit. That was the only difference.

Hitler and all Germany hollered for years about the Versailles outrage, which did to them exactly what they were fixing to do to the allies had Germany won the war.

Of course, publishers like to dish it but don't like to take it. Nobody does. That would be against human nature, and, moreover, there is no percentage in it.

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Shoe Co. Employes To Hold Dance Sunday

The employes club of the A. S. Beck Shoe Co. will hold its annual dinner dance Sunday night at the Bamboo Gardens, Fourteenth and H streets northwest, it was announced by Alfred Mendelson, president.

Other officers of the club are Edward S. DeWolfe, vice president, and George Thomas Harrison, treasurer.

Named to College Paper

Two Washington youths were named yesterday to the staff of the Haverford News, weekly paper of Haverford College, Haverford, Pa. E. Scott Dawson, son of H. L. Dawson, 4517 Garfield street northwest, was elected assistant business manager and Robert Joseph Hunn, son of Clarke Fox Hunn, 5034 Forty-first street northwest, was named photographic editor.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"I'm afraid the cashier took you up on it, Mr. Winterbottom!"

Rumania Today

By Mary N. Hawes

'Alone But Not Forgotten'

Warsaw.

AS THE SNOWS melt in the South Carpathian Mountains, and as Febuary 24, the first anniversary of King Carol's new corporative state draws near, Rumania looks anxiously at the international scene and its own position on the diplomatic chessboard.

"Since the great four undertook to realize the salvation of Europe at Munich it is they who must safeguard it," insisted a leading Rumanian statesman. "Heretofore we have had a system of security among France, Poland and the Little Entente. It was based on Geneva, but now," he reiterated, "that the four great powers have taken over the role of insuring peace they must find the way." Rumania, with that former system discarded, does not share directly in the control of events in which she may, however, become deeply if involuntarily involved.

In the past year there has been a perceptible change in Rumania's orientation. In January, 1938, Bucharest seemed on the brink of joining the Fascist camp. But the reports were either exaggerated, or the phase was only temporary. For there was no question of her position last summer and in the fateful month of September when no country proved such a loyal friend to Prague.

Although the events of last fall were a warning to Rumania that the Western powers did not consider the balance in eastern Europe their vital concern this did not deter King Carol from seeking more and more the friendship of the West. Why? Because while the Western democracies were denying their vital concern Germany was exhibiting a disconcerting interest in the region.

Import Of Carol's Visit To London

IN CONSIDERATION of Western sensibilities King Carol delayed the proclamation of a single party system—the National Renaissance Front—until after his visit to London in November. That visit was of prime importance as a contact before the international conflicts which are expected to arise this year. True it was followed by a stopoff at Berchtesgaden, but speculations on the significance of that meeting were immediately overshadowed by the drastic measures against the Fascist Iron Guard—measures which roused the German press to such a high pitch of indignation.

Shortly thereafter the King appointed a new foreign minister—Gregory Gafencu—a man of energy and great charm. Talking with him one feels that he harbors no illusions or false hopes as to what to expect from the international situation, he has watched it too long through the eyes of a journalist.

As events have shown Rumania must not count on the political interest of the West. Bucharest has tried instead to encourage economic interest particularly in England, and thus to escape commercial strangulation by Germany. Geographically and economically it is natural that Germany and Italy should play roles in Rumania's trade. But it is to Rumania's interest to do as much trade as possible with free exchange countries rather than on a clearing basis as with Germany, for several reasons. The Reich is known to use her commercial accords for political purposes. And a clearing basis does not bring in any money with which Rumania can meet her foreign debts.

On the London visit the Rumanians stressed their preference for trading with free exchange countries, and at the same time pointed out that England, France and even the United States had an interest in keeping as many countries as possible in the sphere of the free market.

Exports To Britain Increase Fourfold

SUDDENLY in the last two months of 1938 England made extraordinary efforts to enlarge its trade with Rumania. This was all the more gratifying to Bucharest as she tends to have a favorable balance of trade with England and this was greatly augmented. With Germany and the United States, on the other hand, Rumania usually has an unfavorable balance; but in the case of the Reich this may be partial blessing, as it helps save Rumania from "the curse" of frozen credits in Berlin.

So successful were the British efforts that Rumania's exports to England were about four times as high in November, 1938, as in November, 1937, and somewhat over three and a half times as high in December, 1938, as a year earlier. At the same time Rumania's exports to Germany fell in November, 1938, to about two-thirds of the amount for November, 1937; and in December, 1938, to about one-half of the figure for the previous year. Actually an extraordinary situation arose—Rumania's exports to England in December, 1938, were over one and a half times as great as her exports to Germany.

But this sudden increase is probably not permanent. It is due to England's purchase of large grain supplies, and it is feared that these purchases may be diverted to Canada, perhaps to the United States, and elsewhere. Although to England the amount of this trade seems very small, to Rumania it is most important. "I'm afraid this will be only temporary," said a leading Rumanian economist. "We should not be fooled into thinking," added another, "that there is an alternative market to Germany. England may do as much for us as she did for Czecho-Slovakia . . ."

The Trade Pact With The Reich

IN DECEMBER Rumania concluded a new commercial accord with Germany. Bucharest was then able to resist the German demands for a radical change in the exchange level to the detriment of the Rumanian lei; but Rumania's bargaining powers may not be so strong next time. Italy, too, has just concluded a new accord with Rumania by which she shows her increasing interest. For she has agreed to take in the coming year about two and two-fifths times the value of the goods she will send to Rumania—a trend which may lead to frozen credits in Rome, unless Rumania plans to buy war equipment, vessels and airplanes there.

As a new departure Bucharest has just started, with the turn of the year, trying to increase her trade with the U. S. S. R., which today is negligible. But the opportunities are not great, since Rumania has little to offer her neighbor because Russia is already rich in oil and grain.

Closer economic relations with the U. S. S. R. might be a prelude to closer political relations. But on this question there seems to be a deep cleavage of opinion in Rumania. The present official formula is to keep on "good relations" with the Soviet Union. Many Rumanians fear closer contacts might mean the spread of communism, and others remember with horror the war days when Russian troops were on their soil. But there are those who think that if Germany continues its drive to the Southeast, and particularly toward Rumania, inevitably Bucharest must draw closer to Moscow. On the other hand if Germany thrusts toward the Ukraine, avoiding Rumania, then such relations might prove a liability.

If Hitler Moves On The Ukraine?

BOTH IN BUCHAREST and in eastern Galicia (Polish Ukraine) I have heard the opinion expressed that Germany will turn its next important campaign against Rumania (always discounting Hungary as already very much under Berlin's influence). They conclude this because they see no way in which Hitler could manage a Ukrainian drive without involving himself in a major war. On the other hand, they assume that he would and could make use of both German and Hungarian minorities in Transylvania to weaken Rumania.

The Little Entente, Rumania's support against Hungarian revisionist aims, is broken. Some ties of common interest still remain with Yugoslavia — ties which brought Prince Paul to a hunt with King Carol in the Banat early in January, a prelude, it was assumed, to Count Ciano's visit to Belgrade. Presumably one of the points of that visit was Italy's constant aim to improve relations between Belgrade and Budapest, a trend which might have important consequences for Rumania.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

U. S. Foreign Policy in the Making: Inland and Seaboard Opinion

THERE HAVE BEEN moments when it looked as if the country might become sharply divided on national defense and foreign policy. But there are, I believe, reasons for thinking that the critical period may now have been passed.

The material of a great controversy like that between Theodore Roosevelt and Woodrow Wilson from 1915 to 1917, like that between Wilson and the Senate in 1919-1920, does not really exist. There is no responsible party which thinks the United States can afford to be weak in a world where all other nations are armed to the teeth; there is no party which proposes to entangle this country in the territorial conflicts of Europe, Asia and Africa; there is no party which proposes to surrender in either ocean the vital security of this hemisphere.

The growing conviction of the people on these essential matters has already, I believe, exercised its influence at both ends of the Capitol. There has been a sharp check upon the very human temptation to play politics with national defense. When Congress assembled, the temptation was fairly strong. There was undoubtedly a feeling in certain quarters of the New Deal that excitement about things abroad would blanket domestic issues and perhaps make the happy days be here again. In Congress there were some who exhibited every known symptom of the Presidential itch and acted accordingly; there were others in the Republican camp who were all set to manufacture a partisan quarrel.

Near Unanimous Vote For the Army Bill

BUT PUBLIC sentiment has wanted none of these things and my impression is that the patriotic common sense of the great mass of the people has already imposed a check upon the temptation to play politics with these questions of life and death. The action of the House in approving the Army bill by an almost unanimous vote is a surer test of the underlying national opinion than the speeches and statements of individuals.

The significant differences that do exist in regard to American foreign policy are not partisan. They are not class differences. They are not ideological. They are not due to hyphenated allegiances. Though there are traces of all these elements, the basic difference in American opinion is geographical. The United States is a continental Nation, and at the beginning of any discussion about foreign relations there is a different approach by the people of the Atlantic seaboard, the Pacific seaboard, and the great inland territory of the Mississippi Valley.

This is not a new thing in American life. It is an old thing, realized by everyone when he stops to think of it, but often forgotten in the heat of debate. It should not be forgotten. For only by remembering the controlling influence of geography on American opinion, can we really know ourselves and attain a national opinion.

There were 15 votes cast in the House against the Army bill. All but two, those of Mr. Lewis K. Rockefeller, who represents a rural constituency in New York, and that of Mr. Rich, who represents northern Pennsylvania, were cast by Congressmen from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska and North Dakota. There was not a single vote from a constituency on either seaboard, and none from the whole of the South.

THOUGH THERE is no rule in politics that does not have an exception, there is obviously a rule at work here. Why is it that only in the central and northerly part of the United States does there exist in substantial strength a feeling among people, who are as patriotic as any other people in the land, that additional military defenses are not needed?

The reason is plain enough, it seems to me. If one were to search the wide world over for a place that was safe from all danger of invasion, bombardment or foreign intimidation, that region would be the territory lying between the Rockies and the Alleghenies and north of the Mason and Dixon Line. No hostile army will get at the people of that region. No hostile navy can touch them. No hostile airplane can come near them. Their nearest neighbor is Canada, and, as Stephen Leacock remarked recently, that is a wonderful frontier because it is thousands of miles long and no one knows just where it is.

What is more, the Mississippi Valley is a region which would be more prosperous if it could export more of its products. But, even if it cannot export, it will never starve. It is one of the great food-producing areas of the world. A people that can never be invaded and never be starved are not going to become unduly excited about foreign affairs.

Inland Region Less Alarmed

IS IT STRANGE that the people of this inland region are less disposed to become excited about the rest of the world than are the people of the two coastal regions? Is not that the reason why Senator Clark, of Missouri, Senator Nye of Nebraska, Senator Capper of Kansas, and Senator Taft of Ohio, think as they do think—that the way to make America secure is to sit still in the inviolable security of the American interior? And are they not right as long as they keep their eyes fixed on the regions from which they come—as long as they do not look beyond the mountains which inclose the valley?

But the peoples of the two seaboards, and that includes the whole cotton- and tobacco-producing South, are, like peoples everywhere in the world who live on the frontier, much more immediately sensitive to what happens abroad. Mr. Hiram Johnson, of California, is known as a great isolationist. But he is no isolationist like Senator Clark. Senator Johnson wants isolation from Europe. But he has never been much of a pacifist or very shrinking where Japan was concerned. For California faces the Pacific. And on the Atlantic seaboard, the emphasis is the other way. Public opinion is more aware of what went on in Czecho-Slovakia than of what is going on in Hainan and the mandated islands.

To recognize these differences is a good antidote to sectional preconceptions, and a good way to prepare our minds for the formation of a true national policy. Such a policy must come from an an understanding that though America lies between two oceans it must protect itself by one policy. Such a policy it can have only if the complacency of the inland is leavened by the awareness of the coastal regions, if the excitements of the seaboard are balanced by the sanity of the interior.

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The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Rooting Him Home

(A portrait at any race track.)

In the paddock: There's nuthin' to it but Peerless Prince . . . He's the class horse in this heat . . . Dropping away down today . . . Got quality, this horse . . . That's what counts . . . Quality!

During the Parade to Post

What a horse! . . . Just look at him! . . . Class stands out all over him . . . Huh? . . . Sure, there are other horses in the race, but the Prince has got what it takes . . . Stamina and above everything else he's gotta heart . . . Boy, can he come from behind! . . . Gimme a horse that's got plenty of heart every time!

At the Start

He's on top! . . . Look at him go! . . . Attay boy, Prince! . . . The old class tells every time . . . He'll never be headed . . . Turn it on, Prince! . . . Show 'em the old class!

At the First Turn

What a horse! . . . What an animal! . . . Nice work, Prince . . . There ain't a thing in the race that you gotta be afraid of . . . They don't know which way you went . . . Hah! . . . It's money in the bank . . . He's running easy . . . He ain't even extended! . . . C'mon, Prince Peerless!

As the Prince Stumbles and Is Passed

That's all right, Prince! . . . You're just kiddin' . . . I don't like you out there setting all the pace anyhow . . . That's it . . . Lay in fourth position nice and cozy and turn on the heat in the stretch! . . . It won't even be close.

The Prince Gets Pocketed

C'mon, Prince! . . . Show 'em the old class! . . . Make 'em come back to you the way you always do . . . Huh? . . . He won't even be in the money? . . . That's what you think . . . I know this horse . . . He's got heart! . . . He's got courage!

In the Stretch

(As the Prince gives his best but is chocked by the jockey).

He's layin' fourth . . . That's just where I want him . . . He'll run over that bunch now . . . C'mon, Old Big Heart! . . . Atta Prince! . . . Show 'em the old courage! . . . Show 'em what class is!

In the Last 100 Yards

(The Prince makes a grand effort but can't get through).

Show 'em the old heart, Prince! . . . You can do it . . . Here's where class tells! C'mon, Prince!

At the Wire

(As the Prince finishes sixth).

The big bum quit! . . . Huh? . . . Why the dirty dog chucked it all the way!

Setting an Example

A reputable New York citizen was fined $500 and threatened with a jail term the other day for having a small pistol in his own apartment. In this country an example has to be made of a man who doesn't carry two large ones, both strapped up his sleeve, as is the conventional custom.

Believe it or not there is a Minsky Burlesque theater at Miami Beach, and one of the mysteries of civilization is how it is able to compete successfully with the bathing beach.

No Set-up

No man at whom to make a pass, Oh, F. D. R., is Carter Glass!

"President Cardenas urges Americans to invest more in Mexico."—News item. He'll give you a square deal if it kills you.

Paderewski is returning to the concert stage at 78. That's what comes of ever taking piano lessons in the first place.

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Political Strategy

By Mark Sullivan

Behind Amlie Case

A NEW DEAL commentator, Mr. Jay Franklin, on the radio a few nights ago, let the public in on some of President Roosevelt's political strategy. He told the secret of the appointment of Mr. Thomas R. Amlie to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Mr. Franklin, qualifying himself as being in the inner circles of the New Deal, said that others "can only guess at what lies behind this struggle . . . I happen to be in a position to speak with some real knowledge of what lies behind the nomination of Tom Amlie."

Mr. Amlie was appointed, so Mr. Franklin says, because "he is a symbol of . . . the Wisconsin Progressives, the Minnesota Farmer-Laborites, the Non-Partisan Leaguers in the Dakotas, the Commonwealth Federation in the Northwest, the Liberal Democrats in California—to all these Tom Amlie is important."

In making the Amlie appointment—so Mr. Franklin says—"Mr. Roosevelt is playing national politics." Mr. Roosevelt wants to put the conservative Democrats in the Senate in a hole, or on the spot, or what have you? He wants the Democrats in the Senate to go on record as to their attitude on Mr. Amlie, and therefore as to their attitude toward the voters belonging to the radical and progressive groups in the Northwest. Mr. Franklin asks: "Will the Southern Democrats kick five million progressive votes out of their party on the eve of 1940?"

Factional Purpose Is Understandable

AS POLITICS, this makes sense, or does not make sense, depending on the point of view. As politics for the benefit of the Democratic Party, the Amlie appointment is less than nothing. But as politics for the factional purpose of Mr. Roosevelt, it makes sense.

If Mr. Roosevelt wished to hold the Democratic Party together, he would not appoint Mr. Amlie or men like him. If he wished to avoid cleavage and thereby give the party the best chance to win in 1940—if that were Mr. Roosevelt's motive, he would make middle-of-the-road appointments that would not excite controversy. That would be Mr. Roosevelt's course if he were willing to accede to the desperate wish for party harmony entertained by Vice President Garner and other Democratic leaders. For the purpose of harmony and conciliation — "appeasement" is the new word—the Amlie appointment is zero, or several degrees below.

The Amlie appointment should, as Mr. Roosevelt thinks, appeal to the radical and extreme progressive voters of the Northwest, whatever their number. The number is hardly 5,000,000. The radical parties in that territory, and everywhere, were pretty well shot to pieces in last November's election. The Wisconsin Progressives lost five out of seven Representatives in Congress, and lost them all to the Republicans. The Minnesota Farmer-Labor party lost four out of their five, likewise to the Republicans. The radical third parties have not been in so low a state before for two generations. However, fragments of them are left—though not 5,000,000, hardly even 1,000,000. Whatever their number, the appointment of Mr. Amlie—himself one of the Progressive Congressmen who were left at home—may please them. But for every radical or extreme progressive voter thus pleased, probably five conservative Democrats throughout the country will be alienated.

The real political significance of Mr. Roosevelt's appointing Mr. Amlie lies in the state of mind it reveals on Mr. Roosevelt's part. The clew is in the motive which Mr. Franklin says Mr. Roosevelt had.

Implied Threat To Conservatives

MR. ROOSEVELT is determined to go in the radical direction, and to try to force the Democratic Party to go in the same direction. The Amlie appointment is in the same spirit as Mr. Roosevelt's Jackson Day speech last month. The Democratic Party must go with him to the radical left—or else.

What the "or else" would be, is not revealed, that will appear, doubtless, when the party meets in national convention next year. If the convention tries to bear toward the conservative right—as it will—Mr. Roosevelt is likely to take notice, belligerent notice and dramatic notice. The convention, wherever it is held, may see Mr. Roosevelt dramatically descend upon it by airplane, as he did on the 1932 convention. And it may hear Mr. Roosevelt repeat an even more ringing version of his Jackson Day speech, an imperious call to the left.

Just what does Mr. Roosevelt hold out as a threat if the Democrats do not do what he wants? That question is a headache for the conservative Democratic leaders. If the 1940 Democratic National Convention, by platform and candidate, offends Mr. Roosevelt, his reaction might be anything in a gamut running from an outright bolt by him, to silent refusal to support the candidate.

This, all the Democratic leaders will try to avoid. They will want to win the election. To that end they will try to please Mr. Roosevelt, or rather, avoid displeasing him to a dangerous degree. They will not try to please him 100 per cent, and they will not nominate any extreme New Dealer. They will try to find a Presidential candidate who, as between the New Dealers and the conservative Democrats, is in the middle of the road. That is the way it looks at a time 17 months in advance of the convention.

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The Riddle Examined

By Barnet Nover

Some Unanswered Questions

ANY REALISTIC examination of the European situation today must begin with the assumption that neither Germany nor Italy is willing to halt in its tracks. The indications are all the other way. The policies pursued by those two powers during the last few years suggests that they, like Japan, are forever being driven by an inner necessity to embark on adventures abroad to ease increasing strains at home.

After the conquest of Ethiopia, Mussolini declared that Italy had become a "satisfied power." She has certainly not acted like one. And the world is also acutely aware of the fact that the absorption of Austria and the annexation of the Sudetenland have by no means satisfied Hittler. His appetite, like Mussolini's and that of the Japanese militarists, has grown with the eating.

THIS DOES NOT mean that either Nazi Germany or Fascist Italy will necessarily go to war to achieve their next objectives, whatever those might be. It is apparent that they do not shrink from war. Italy has fought two wars in four years, one against Ethiopia and the other against loyalist Spain. Hitler was prepared to use force to impose his will on Austria but did not have to do so because Austria fell in his lap without a struggle. So did the Sudetenland. But the Nazi regime was clearly not averse to fighting a war with Czecho-Slovakia alone. And it has not been averse to intervening forcibly in Spain.

But it is one thing for the dictators to take to the warpath when the odds are all on their side; it is questionable if they would plunge their nations into war if the odds were definitely against them. They might, but only as a last resort and only if either regime were so harassed by internal difficulties that the alternative to war would be revolution.

Internal Stresses Continue To Grow

THERE IS no indication that either Germany or Italy faces such a choice at the moment. The economic stresses and strains in both of these dictatorships are great and show no signs of easing. The facade of unity hides a considerable measure of discontent in each case and the external victories won by Hitler and Mussolini, far from improving the national economy of the Third Reich and the Fascist kingdom, have tended, though it may be only temporarily, to subject it to increasing stresses and strains. The same is true in Italy.

Both of the dictators, therefore, are under compulsion to divert the growing opposition which they now encounter by new aggressions abroad.

Sooner or later the irresistible force, in this case the expansionist urge of the Fascist dictatorships, is bound to come into head-on collision with the immovable object, namely, the unwillingness of Great Britain and France to give way any farther. When that happens the seemingly irresistible force will prove to be less than irresistible or the immovable force will give way. But in the test, Europe may go up in the flames generated by this clash.

THE TWO key questions, therefore, are (1) how far Germany and Italy are prepared to go to test out the democratic powers, and (2) the point beyond which Great Britain and France will refuse to retreat.

It can be taken for granted that Mussolini and Hitler will go as far as they safely can. But what they deem the point of safety may not be the point of safety at all. They may be depending too much on the fact that, having capitulated in the past, Great Britain and France will capitulate when the next test comes. And those who determine policy in Berlin and Rome may be not cautious elements but the reckless ones.

Facade Of Unity Hides Struggle For Power

AT THE MOMENT it is not clear which group will win out in Germany and Italy, in other words, which group will succeed in persuading Fuehrer and Duce that their advice is soundest. The struggle is still going on in both countries although much more visibly in Germany than in Italy. But the victory or defeat of, say, the Goering faction, which wants a breathing spell to permit the Third Reich to consolidate her present position, as against the Goebbels - Himmler - Ribbentrop clique, which believes the present is the best time for Germany to move forward, may depend largely on external rather than on internal factors.

One of these factors is the strength or weakness which Great Britain and France will manifest in their external policies during the next months. Another is certain to be the attitude displayed by the United States on such vital questions as neutrality revision, sale of airplanes to the Paris-London axis, etc.

NO MATTER how firm a stand the democratic powers may take toward the dictatorships, however, it is doubtful that Europe will be spared a crisis. Great Britain is now maneuvering to euchre Mussolini out of Spain. The British government is manifesting an almost obscene haste in coming to terms with Gen. Franco and is dangling before him not only speedy recognition but also the golden prospect of loans and credits.

The assumption is that, with victory won, Franco will be in a position to end his dependence on his Fascist allies and send them out of Spain with empty pockets. The assumption appears naive in the extreme. If the dictators cannot afford to stand still they can afford even less to retreat. Having made Franco it is at least possible that, between them, Mussolini and Hitler can break him unless he is willing to do their bidding. Should Franco resist, would Great Britain and France then be prepared to come to his aid to fight off a different kind of intervention by the Fascist powers?

The question appears fantastic. It may never have to be answered. Franco may decide that his bread is buttered on the Fascist side though he would like to have it sweetened by Anglo-French sugar. But the possibility of just such a situation arising is one which neither London nor Rome can ignore. The mistakes and stupidities of two and a half years can hardly be remedied by this last-minute action.

Parking Meter Time Extended On Saturdays

New Order Includes Afternoon Period; New Bans Listed

Washington motorists will pay for parking meter space Saturday afternoons, beginning March 4, the Commissioners ordered yesterday.

Acting on a recommendation by Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer, the Commissioners agreed that the one-hour restriction is in force Saturday afternoons.

The Commissioners ordered further parking restrictions on eight streets. These are:

Cathedral avenue, from Wisconsin to Massachusetts and from Thirty-ninth to bottom of the hill, no parking at any time. From Wisconsin to New Mexico, no parking on south side at any time.

Hobart, from 1747 Hobart to Irving, no parking on the north and east sides.

K street, south side of south driveway, from Sixteenth west to first alley, no parking except while loading or unloading.

Meridian place, from Fourteenth to Sixteenth, no parking on the north side at any time, except on Sundays, from 9:30 a. m. to 1 p. m.

New Hampshire, from Sherman to Georgia, no parking on the east side, from 4 to 6 p. m., and on the west side, from 7 to 9:30 a. m. From Princeton to Georgia, on the east side, one hour, from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fourteenth, from Belmont to Florida, no parking on the west side at any time. From the Fire House north to Kenyon, on the east side, no parking at any time.

Twenty-first street northeast, from Shepherd to Bunker Hill, no parking on the west side at any time.

Canal street northeast, from Independence to E, no parking at any time on the south side of the north roadway and the north side of the south roadway.

Council Sought to Aid Small Businessmen

Commerce Department officials considered yesterday feasibility of establishing for small businessmen an organization similar to the business advisory council composed largely of big businessmen.

Dr. Willard Thorpe, assistant to Secretary Hopkins, said the department was trying to determine how it could give the more than 2,000,000 little businessmen of the Nation "representation that means something."

Aleph Zadik Aleph to Meet

A meeting of Capital City chapter of Aleph Zadik Aleph will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday in the Jewish Community Center.

Guam, Peiping Marine Officers To Be Shifted

Headquarters Here Lists Big Roster Of Assignments

Command of the Marine detachments in Guam and Peiping, China, will change hands under a large-scale shift of officers announced yesterday by headquarters here.

Col. Allen H. Turnage, now on duty at Quantico, Va., will relieve Col. John Marston as commander of the Marine Guard at the American Embassy in China. Col. Marston, former personnel division chief here, goes to recruiting duty in Chicago. Maj. William H. Harrison will go from duty in San Diego to command the Marine Barracks at Guam, relieving Lieut. Col. Charles I. Murray, who will join the Fourth Marine Regiment in Shanghai, China.

Fourteen officers on duty here were given new assignments, as follows: Colonels, Charles D. Barrett, to Quantico, Va.; Maurice E. Shearer, to Department of Pacific. Lieutenant colonels, William W. Ashurst, Andrew E. Creesy, Franklin A. Hart and Leo D. Hermle, to Fleet Marine Force, San Diego, Calif.; Clyde H. Metcalf, to Newport, R. I. Majors, Richard H. Jeschke, to Reserve Battalion, Boston; Samuel W. Freeney, to Norfolk, Va.; Robert H. Pepper, to first brigade, Quantico, Va.; William T. Baleo, to schools, Quantico, and Ralph D. Leech, to San Diego.

Also captains, Luther A. Brown and Robert H. Williams, to school, Quantico; Cornelius P. Van Ness, to U. S. S. Indianapolis; Paul D. Sherman, to U. S. S. Mississippi. Lieutenants, Arthur W. Fisher, jr., to Wakefield, Mass.; Radford C. West, to Cape May, N. J.; James R. Bromeyer, to Shanghai, China.

Seventeen officers were ordered to duty here as follows: Colonel, Samuel M. Harrington, headquarters. Lieutenant colonels, Matthew H. Kingman and Samuel C. Cumming, headquarters; Keller E. Rockey, Office Naval Operations; Clifton B. Cates, Army War College. Majors, William P. Brown, Army Industrial College; Donald J. Kendall, Army War College; Lee H. Brown, Judge Advocate General's Office; Curtis W. LeGette and Leonard E. Reis, headquarters. Captains, William T. Burke, Marine Barracks; Gregon A. Williams, War Department. Assistant to Hugh M. Wood and John A. Baxter, U. S. Marine Barracks; Richard E. Church, Carl J. Fiepa and Hollis U. Mustain, Navy Yard.

Treasury Post to Meet

A membership party, sponsored by Treasury Post No. 35, American Legion, will be held at 2 p. m. today at the home of James W. Lowen, Hillandale, Md. A program of dancing, refreshments and entertainment has been arranged.

Dr. Lenski Announces Guest Speakers

Dr. Ewald Lawson, Of Upsala College, To Be at Grace

Several of America's outstanding Lutherans will be guest speakers at Grace Church during Lent, Dr. Gerhard E. Lenski, pastor, announced last night.

They will include the Rev. Henry Koch, secretary of the Federated Luther Leagues of the American Lutheran Church; Dr. Ewald Lawson, president of Upsala College, Orange, N. J., and Dr. Gould Wickey, executive secretary of the board of education of the United Lutheran Church.

Tomorrow at the 11 a. m. service Dr. Lenski will be preaching on "Temptation the Inescapable Test."

Reformation. At the 8 p. m. service Dr. Oscar J. Blackwelder, pastor, will conclude his present series of sermons on "Master Pictures of the Master's Face," describing Ruben's "Descent From the Cross." At the morning service he will speak on "True Greatness."

His assistant, the Rev. Ralph W. Loew, will preach at the matin hour on "A Religion of Remnants."

Luther Place. "The Birthright of a Child" is to be the subject of Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen's discourse at the 11 a. m. service.

St. Mark's. The Rev. J. Luther Frantz will preach on "The Great Physician" at morning worship.

Trinity, Mount Rainier. In the morning the Rev. E. E. Pieplow will speak on "Lord, Give Us a New Vision," and in the evening he is to discuss "A Satan at the Pulpit of the Passion."

Takoma. "The Real Lenten Preparations" will be the topic of the Rev. J. Adrian Pfeiffer in the morning service.

Concordia. The Rev. Charles Enders will speak on "The Christian's Property Rights" in both the 10 a. m. German and 11:15 a. m. English services.

At 7 p. m. an open forum on "The Articles of Faith of the Evangelical and Reformed Churches" will be held at the parsonage.

St. Stephen's. At the 11 a. m. service the Rev. Sam Kornmann will have for his theme "The Jerusalem Journey."

Georgetown. "The Wayside, Christ" will be the subject at 11 a. m. of the Rev. Harold D. Beatty, pastor.

The Rev. Herbert A. Rinard will be guest preacher at the Ash Wednesday services at 8 p. m.

Christ. The Rev. J. Frederic Wenchel will begin a series of sermons on St. Paul's epistle to the Romans. In the morning his subject will be "Does It Make Any Difference What a Man Believes?" At 2 o'clock there will be a brief memorial service to the Rev. C. C. Morhart, first pastor of the church.

St. Paul's. The theme of the morning sermon, to be delivered by the pastor, Dr. Henry W. Snyder, will be "Working Out Salvation." At the evening service his topic will be "Value of Man."

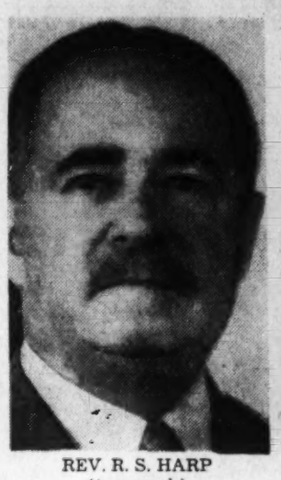
'The Supreme Egotist' Is Dr. Anderson's Theme

Continuing his discussion on the general theme of "If I Only Had One Sermon to Preach," Dr. Howard Stone Anderson will speak tomorrow at 11 a. m. at the First Congregational Church on "Mankind's Supreme Egotist or God's Only Begotten Son." At 7:45 p. m. Page McK. Etchison, religious work director of the Y. M. C. A., will give his illustrated lecture on "The Passion Play of Oberammergau."

Adj. McNabb to Speak

Adj. William J. MacNabb will speak on "Who Gets the Taxes?" at services tomorrow at 3 p. m. at the relief mission of the Volunteers of America, 471 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. The services will be conducted by Lieut. Maj. H. Mills Eroh, local commander of the Volunteers.

Corporate Communion at Cathedral to Feature Services Celebrating Beginning of Lent Here



REV. R. S. HARP (to preach).

REV. MR. KOCH (guest here)

JUSTICE ROBERTS (to preside)

Heralding Easter's approach, Ash Wednesday services throughout the city next week will launch the traditional observance of the Lenten season. To be celebrated April 9, Easter customarily falls upon the first Sunday following the first full moon after March 21.

Lent lasts 40 days, not including Sundays, beginning with Ash Wednesday and ending the Saturday preceding Easter. Originally a fast of 40 hours' devotion, it signalized the interval from the death of Christ and His burial to His resurrection. Today, Lent also signifies His 40 days fast in the wilderness, according to the fourth chapter of Matthew, which states: "Then was Jesus led up of the spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. And when He had fasted 40 days and night He was afterward an hungered."

The principal Ash Wednesday observance will be at Washington Cathedral, where the eleventh annual corporate communion for men and boys will be held at 8 a. m., with the Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, as celebrant.

Hundreds of members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will attend the services, to be followed by a conference at which Justice Owen J. Roberts, of the Supreme Court, will preside. A breakfast will be served in the new activities building of St. Albans.

Assisting Bishop Freeman will be the Very Rev. Noble C. Powell, Dean of the Cathedral; the Rev. William Murray Bradner, Canon Precentor; the Rev. Edward S. Dunlap; the Rev. Albert H. Lucas, D. C. L., headmaster of St. Albans, and the Rev. James W. Henderson, chaplain of the school.

Other Ash Wednesday rites at the Cathedral will include Holy Communion in the Bethlehem Chapel at 7:30 a. m.; reading of the litany at 10 a. m.; morning prayer and the penitential office at 11 a. m., and evening prayer at 4 p. m. Dean Powell will preach at the two latter services.

A pre-Lenten service is scheduled for Monday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, when the local Lutheran Brotherhood will formally install its new officers, headed by Lindley G. Schmidt, member of the host church. Martin A. McGrory, president of the Maryland Synodical Brotherhood, will preside, and the Rev. Sam H. Kornmann, pastor of St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, will speak on "Lenten Obligations."

Lutheran congregations of the District will join in their annual Union Lenten services, to be held each Monday night, beginning February 27, at 8 p. m. The first is scheduled for Luther Place Memorial Church, with the Rev. Henry E. Koch, executive director of the Federation of Luther Leagues of the American Lutheran Church, as speaker. Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen is pastor.

The Washington Federation of Churches again will sponsor Union Lenten services, arranged for each Wednesday, starting February 22, at 4:45 p. m. at the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany, 1317 G street northwest. Prominent local ministers including the Rev. Reno S. Harp, of Trinity Episcopal Church, will preach.

Churches in various parts of the city will promote joint programs, among them the Methodists, slated to hold an Ash Wednesday Corporate Communion service at Foundry Methodist Church at 8 p. m. All Methodist Churches are invited to take part. Protestants of Chevy Chase will worship together on Thursday, February 23, at 8 p. m., in Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church.

Six Special Services Set At Epiphany

Sons of Revolution and Knights of Pythias Are There Tomorrow

Starting at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow and lasting through Friday, special services for organizations of both laymen and clergy will be held at the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany.

Corporate communion for the church school will lead off the schedule at 9:30 tomorrow, followed at 11 by a Washington's Birthday commemoration to be conducted by the Washington Chapter of the Sons of the Revolution.

Dr. ZeBarney Phillips, Epiphany rector, will preach at this service, which will feature a massing of colors and playing of taps.

At 8 p. m. the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Pythias will be celebrated, with the Rev. Isaac W. Huges, grand prelate of the Grand Domain of North Carolina, conducting the service, and the Rev. Chellis W. Smith, chaplain-in-chief of the order preaching. Dr. Phillips will lead the closing prayers and deliver the benediction.

Tuesday at 9 a. m. the Rev. Karl L. Tiedemann, O. H. C., will conduct a quiet day for the clergy of the diocese. He also will be special noon day speaker on Ash Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

At 4:45 p. m., Ash Wednesday, there will be another special service under the auspices of the Washington Federation of Churches.

St. Agnes'. The Rev. Father Joseph, of Mount Sinai, N. Y., superior of the American Congregation of Franciscan Friars, will be at both morning and evening services.

He will preach at the 11 a. m. sung mass and at 8 p. m. will preach and officiate at the blessing of a new set of stations of the Cross, which have been installed as a memorial to the late rector, the Rev. Victor O. Anderson.

St. Paul's, Rock Creek. Dr. F. J. Bohanan will deliver a special sermon at the 11 o'clock service explaining the purpose and the preparation for Lent.

Guest speakers have been engaged for each Sunday morning in Lent.

They are the Rev. A. P. Stokes, D. D.; the Rev. Vincent Gowen, the Rev. Alexander Zabriskie, the Very Rev. Noble C. Powell, dean of the Cathedral; the Rev. William M. Bradner, canon of the Cathedral.

Our Saviour. At morning prayer the Rev. Alvin Lamar Wills will preach "The Church's Rediscovery of Youth." The young men of the church will take part in this service, which is being conducted especially for the young people.

St. John's. "Preparation for a Happy Lent" is the subject of Dr. Oliver J. Hart's sermon at 9:30 and 11 a. m.

There will be celebrations of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m. and 9:30 a. m. The St. John's Chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will hold its monthly Corporate Communion at the 8 o'clock celebration, and members of the class confirmed last Sunday will make their first communion at the 9:30 celebration.

Evening prayer will be said at 8 p. m. with sermon by the Rev. Nathaniel C. Acton.

St. Paul's. At 8 p. m. members of the Acolyte Guild will be formally admitted into the Order of St. Vincent's, the national guild for acolytes, in a service conducted by the Rev. Gordon Graser, diocesan chaplain of the organization.

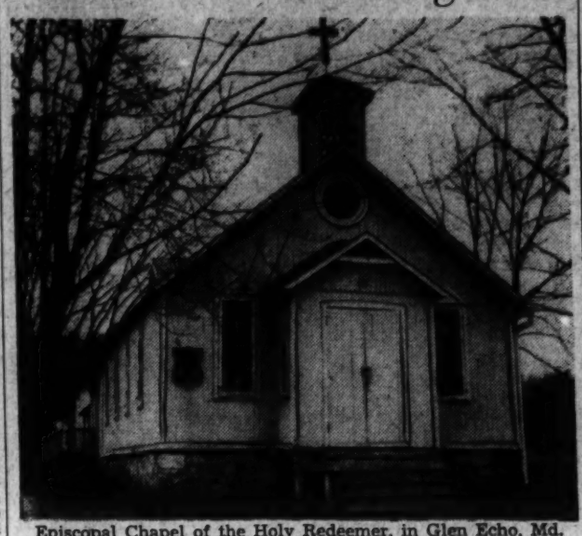
At the service of Holy Eucharist at 11 a. m. the Rev. Arlington A. McCallum, will have as his sermon topic, "What Shall We Do Then?" This service will be conducted by the Rev. George B. Kinkead.

St. Andrew's, College Park. The Rev. Raymond L. Wolven, minister in charge, has arranged a Pan-Hellenic service to be held in the morning at 11 o'clock for all fraternities and sororities of the University of Maryland and their friends.

All Saints'. The Rev. Henry Teller Cocke will speak from the subject, "A Woman's Love," at the 11 o'clock service. There will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.

Church of the Week

Chapel of Redeemer Outgrows Its 34-Year-Old Building



Episcopal Chapel of the Holy Redeemer, in Glen Echo, Md.

$45,000, 2-Unit Replacement Soon To Be Constructed Nearby, Vicar Says; Episcopal Mission Department May Help

The Episcopal Chapel of the Redeemer, Glen Echo, missionary project under the wing of Bishop James E. Freeman, of the Washington Diocese, soon plans to construct a new house of worship, to cost $45,000 on the site of the old community ball park, at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue and Conduit road northwest.

T. G. SPENCE (lay reader)

The method of financing and various other details have yet to be worked out, according to the Rev. M. M. Perkins, vicar, who indicated, however, a possibility of the sharing of the financial burden between the Department of Missions and the congregation. Either church or parish hall is to be finished this year, he said.

Also rector of Grace Church, Georgetown, the Rev. Mr. Perkins, who has served Redeemer for 13 years—both during seminary days and in his present position—is one of many interesting personalities who have filled the Glen Echo pulpit since the laying of the cornerstone on August 8, 1905, and prior to then, when Sunday school classes were held in a Glen Echo public schoolroom.

Among these were the now Right Rev. Karl Block, Bishop of California; the Rev. Hulbert Wolfall, rector of St. Peter's, St. Louis (Dr. Ze Barney Phillip's former pastorate); the Rev. James Madison, St. Paul's, Petersburg, Va.; the Rev. Albert T. Mellegen, president of the Virginia Theological Seminary, and the Rev. C. H. Holmstead, Trinity Church, Portsmouth, Va.

First to conduct services at Redeemer, the latter cleric served when it was a mission of St. Alban's Church, of which the Rev. G. C. F. Bretenahl was rector. Founders of the Sunday school included Mrs. Sallie B. Bogue, Mrs. J. Hedgeman, Mrs. W. Roath and others.

MR. PERKINS (vicar)

The completion of the church plant will mark the culmination of a long-cherished hope on the part of the congregation, which is overtaxing facilities of its present building.

However, inadequate space is no barrier to the progress of such organizations as the Girl's Friendly Society, recently inaugurated under the leadership of Mrs. Harry Rawdon.

H. T. McCUEN (mayor)

Sponsoring a program of social service and other activities, the group has as its president Miss Inez Craft, assisted by Miss Francis Harris, vice president; Miss Francis Ingram, secretary; Miss Frances Dennell, treasurer, and Miss Ruth Bolton, publicity director.

The Boy Scout troop, led by Thomas Walker, also is quite active, according to the vicar, who says that a new parish executive committee is to be formed shortly at Redeemer. Corresponding to a church vestry, it will consist of five men and five women.

One of Redeemer's most loyal and dependable workers is Deaconess Ellen Camp, for five years parish visitor, whose efforts have been responsible for bringing many new members into the congregation. She was formerly Epiphany deaconess.

Another loyal aide is the Rev. Thomas G. Spence, secretary to Bishop Freeman. Each Sunday he travels out to the chapel to serve as lay reader and as Sunday school superintendent.

Also outstanding are Mrs. Maude B. Sweney, Ladies' Auxiliary head; Mrs. Sara Canada, postmistress at Canada, Md., Mayor and Mrs. Henry T. McCuen, Glen Echo; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Odell, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holton, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dennell, Mr. and Mrs. George Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fagan and others.

Also interesting is the Morris family—consisting of Mrs. James Morris, a widow, and her seven daughters, including two sets of twins. They are Mildred Louise and Mrs. Helen Elizabeth Carter, who reached 21 on February 9, and Lillian Marjorie and Vivian Marguerite, who will be 18 in April. Others are Shirley Mae, Barbara Ann and Mrs. Gladys Burcher Fay Atwood. This entire family was confirmed by Bishop Freeman last June 8.

Services at the Chapel of the Redeemer tomorrow morning will consist of Holy Communion at 8 o'clock; litany and sermon by the Rev. M. M. Perkins, vicar, at 9:30; Sunday school at 10:50.

On Ash Wednesday at 8 p. m. there will be evening prayer, penitential office and address by Thomas G. Spence, lay reader.

Lincoln Temple

At Lincoln Congregational Temple Dr. R. W. Brooks will continue his series of sermons on the general theme, "Gifts That May Be Ours." His theme for Sunday morning will be the third in the series, "God will Give You Power."

Bishop Pickett To Be Guest At Foundry

Texas Evangelist's Son Missionary In India Since 1910

Bishop J. Waskom Pickett, missionary in India since 1910 and first American to be elected a bishop by the Central Conference of Southern Asia, will be guest speaker at the morning service in Foundry Methodist Church tomorrow.

Born in Texas, the son of an evangelist and gospel song writer of the Methodist Church South, he has served pastorates in Lucknow and Arrah, India, and has recently completed a study of the movement toward Christianity among the low castes of India.

At evening worship Dr. Frederick B. Harris, minister, will preach on "Words That Bless or Blight."

Hamline. Dr. Lucius Clark, former chancellor of American University, executive secretary of the D. C. Church Federation and pastor of Hamline, is to be guest preacher in the morning.

Wesley. Dr. Jacob S. Payton, editor of the National Methodist Press, will be guest speaker at the 11 a. m. service.

Trinity. "An Animate Repose" will be the subject of Dr. Dan L. Ennis at 11 a. m. "Our Best Tool—the Will" is to be his theme in the evening sermon series on "Working Tools of Life."

McKendree. The Rev. Samuel Rose will preach at morning worship on "The Changeless Christ." There will be a request song service at 8 p. m.

Lincoln Road. In preparation for Lent the Rev. R. H. Stone will take as his morning sermon topic "The Compassion of Jesus." In an evangelistic service at 8 p. m. Dr. Stone will preach on "The Confession of Christ."

Dumbarton Avenue. The Rev. W. F. Atkinson will deliver the third sermon in his pre-Easter series on "The Reasonableness of the Gospel."

Union. Dr. John R. Edwards announces as sermon spbjects for tomorrow "A Picture of God" and "A Great Confession.

Eldbrooke. "Life in the Full" is to be the sermon subject of the Rev. Walter M. Michael at morning worship. At evening worship he will preach on "The Mystery of Godliness."

Chevy Chase. The Rev. Edward Gardiner Latch will begin a series of Lenten sermons based on a study of the Beatitudes in the morning with the theme, "The Poor in Spirit."

Calvary. The Rev. Orris Gravenor Robinson, minister, will preach at the 11 o'clock service on "Jesus Christ, Our Lord," and at the 8 p. m. service on "Creating a New Pattern for Living."

Thursday at 8 p. m. a series of Lenten devotional services will be inaugurated. Dr. Fred G. Holloway, president of Western Maryland College, will be guest speaker. The service will be held in the church auditorium.

Rev. T. L. Coyle To Preach on 'Public Spirit'

'Individual and the State' to Be Topic Of Evening Sermon

George Washington's Birthday will serve as the inspiration for two sermons tomorrow at Sherwood Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Thomas L. Coyle, dealing with the relationship between the citizen, the church and the Government.

"Public Spirit" will be the subject of his sermon at the 8:50 and 11 a. m. services, and at 8 p. m. he will preach on "The Individual and the State."

Covenant-First. Dr. Albert J. McCartney will deliver the second of his sermons on "Great Texts and Grand Truths" at the morning service. His subject will be "A Timely Text for a 'Jittery' World."

The Sadler Missionary League will be entertained on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. McCartney on Eighteenth street. Mrs. Frances J. Nichols, who has just returned from China, will speak.

N. Y. Avenue. "From Laurie to Lincoln" will be the topics of the serman preached by Dr. Peter Marshall at 11 o'clock. At 8 p. m., he will speak on, "Fact or Phantom?"

Metropolitan. Dr. J. Lowrey Fenorich, jr., will preach at 11 a. m. on "What Would Washington Think?" At 7:45 p. m. he will deliver his third sermon on "This Dangerous Age," discussing "The Right to Thrill."

Dr. S. R. Brooks To Preach on 'Taking It to Heart'

"Taking It to Heart" will be the subject of Dr. Seth Rogers Brooks' sermon tomorrow at 11 a. m. in the Universalist National Memorial Church. Before the Adult Forum meeting at 10 a. m. will be Rich Sanger, speaking on important issues before Congress.

All Souls' Unitarian. Continuing his sermon series on sayings of Jesus which did not find their way into the Bible, but which are still considered authentic, Dr. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, minister, will preach at morning worship on "The Great Compassion."

Rev. C. H. Jope To Discuss 'The Heroic Face'

Church Federation Officials to Address Midweek Meetings

The Rev. Clifford H. Jope, pastor of Ninth Street Christian Church, will preach at morning worship tomorrow on "The Heroic Face," opening a series of sermons on the "Bible Faces of Jesus." At the 7:45 p. m. service Dr. Jope is to speak on "The End of Sin."

Dr. W. L. Darby, executive secretary of the Washington Federation of Churches, and the Rev. John L. Mixon, director of the federation's social welfare department, will address meetings during the week. Dr. Darby is to speak Thursday at the evening evangelistic service, and the Rev. Mr. Mixon Friday at the meeting of the Bible school at 7:45 p. m.

National City. "What Is Meant by the Divinity of Christ" will be the subject of Dr. R. H. Miller's sermon in the morning.

Donald F. Christy, agricultural economist, will address the vesper service on "Germany," where he spent five years.

Third. "The Glorified Servant, Our Witness," and "Six Greatest Sins of America" are to be described by the Rev. C. N. Williams at morning and evening services respectively.

Fifteenth Street. The Rev. Leslie L. Bowers will speak on "The Toll of Pain" in the morning and "The Man Who Meant No Harm" in the evening.

Columbia Heights. In preparation for the "Christ Centered Crusade," which will begin next Sunday and last for 13 weeks, the sermon in the morning will close the evening series on "Christian Salesmanship" with the topic, "Meeting Specific Difficulties."

Wilson Boulevard. The pulpit will be occupied in the absence of the Rev. Ira P. Harbaugh by the Rev. P. A. Cave, retired minister, and formerly of the Winchester Avenue Church, Martinsburg, W. Va., who will speak on "Secrets of Disciple's Joy" at the 11 a. m. service.

At 7:45 p. m. the Rev. William M. LaRoche, of Washington, former pastor of the Suitland (Md.) Church, will speak on "Aspects of Christian Service."

Brotherhood Day Rites Set At First Baptist

Dr. E. H. Pruden's Sermon to Be on 'Our World Needs God'

"Our World Needs God," a sermon in observance of Brotherhood Sunday, will be delivered by Dr. Edward Hughes Pruden, pastor of First Baptist Church, tomorrow morning.

"For Better, for Worse," the third in his series of four sermons on "Making a Success of Marriage," will be Dr. Pruden's theme at the evening service.

Takoma Park. The Rev. William E. La Rue, pastor, will preach at the morning hour on "A Glancing Thought." The Rev. Herbert Cooper, pastor of the Rockville Baptist Church, will be guest speaker in the evening.

Calvary. The Rev. W. S. Abernethy, minister, will take as his morning topic "He Makes a Lame Man Walk," the fifth sermon in his series on "From Bethlehem to Calvary." In the evening he will speak on "What Did Jesus Mean—Turning the Other Cheek?" Helen Rainey and Fred Shirley will assist him at this service.

First, Bethesda. "The Command to Advertise" will be the topic of Dr. J. R. Nelson, pastor, in the morning. His evening theme is to be "Judson's Labors Rewarded."

Fifth. "Youth Needs the Church and the Church Needs Youth" will be the thought of Dr. John E. Briggs in his morning sermon. At 7:45 p. m. the choir will lead a song service, directed by J. Humbird Duffey.

Italian. The Rev. Olindo Marseglia has chosen as the topic of his sermon at the 10:45 a. m. service "Evangelism, a Church Objective." The sermon will be in English.

Metropolitan. The voices of age and youth will blend in melody in the morning, when Dr. John Compton Ball and his assistant pastor, the Rev. Robert Savage, will sing the famous hymn by D. B. Towner, "Grace Greater Than Our Sin," as a companion-piece to Dr. Ball's sermon on "God's Grace."

At the 7:45 hour the Rev. Mr. Savage will lead the congregation in song service and preach on the subject, "You Can't Fool God."

Christian Science Topic Tomorrow Is 'Mind'

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist tomorrow. The Golden Text is from I Peter 3:8: "Be ye all of one mind, having compassion one of another, love as brethren, be pitiful, be courteous."

Rankin Memorial Chapel

The all-university religious services in Andrew Rankin Memorial Chapel, Howard University, tomorrow at 11 a. m. will have for speaker President H. Council Trenholm, of the Alabama State College, Montgomery, Ala.

Dr. Rustin's Topic Is 'Simon Peter'

"Christians in a Pagan World" will be the subject on which Dr. John W. Rustin, pastor of Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church South, will preach tomorrow at 11 o'clock. His evening sermon topic will be "The Story of Simon Peter." The choir of 70 voices, under the direction of Deane Shure, will sing at both services.

The Board of Christian Education will meet Monday at 8 p. m.

Francis Asbury. Dr. Robin Gould will speak at 11 a. m. on "The Measure of Man," and at 8 p. m. on "Lines of Defense."

Youth in Capital Churches

"The Color Line" will be redefined in a pageant of that name, written by Irene Taylor McNain, to be presented tomorrow at 8 p. m. by young people of Hamline Methodist Church. Taking part will be William Warner, Ruth Ellis, Dwight Ellis, Howard Stingle, Alice Stockdill and Margaret Nelson.

The Epworth League of the same church at 6:45 p. m. will hear about and discuss "Sore Spots of the World," led by Prof. E. O. Reynolds.

At the quarterly meeting this week of the Episcopal Diocesan Young People's Fellowship at Rock Creek Parish House, Lochrane Gary was elected president; Frances Caul, first vice president; George High, second vice president; Maud Cutting, third vice president; Charlotte Lenhardt, fourth vice president; Phyllis Orton, recording secretary; Jean Goode, corresponding secretary; Ken Kelly, treasurer, and Harry Hood, sergeant-at-arms.

Next Tuesday evening at Roosevelt High, the Rock Creek Parish Players will put on a one-act play, "His First Date," in the annual tournament of the D. C. Community Center, the first time this group has entered the contest.

Evelyn Leigh will lead the 7:30 p. m. youth service at Dumbarton Avenue Methodist Church tomorrow, on the general theme, "Forgiving Others." Beverly Bissett will speak on "The Blotted Copy Book;" Catherine Poole, on "A Prayer of Penitence," and Walter Beall will give a reading on "God's Boundless Love." Others assisting in this service will be Yvonne Atkinson, soloist; Isabel Prosner, Paul Berry, Hazel Shoemaker and Philip Cole. The Rev. W. F. Atkinson, minister, will speak on "The Human and the Divine in Forgiveness."

The Rev. William J. Ducker, of the American Board of Missions, will address the Round Table League during the Youth Hour of the Lutheran Church of the Reformation tomorrow at 6:45 p. m. Miss Virginia Catlett will speak before the Young People's League on "Neighborliness" and Bruce Hulett, Lawrence Weisinger and Josephine McCall will speak before the Senior League.

Evelyn Dillon will lead the Crusaders of the Ninth Street Christian Church Christian Endeavor Society in a discussion of "Our Neighbors Who Are in Need," at 6:30 p. m. At 6:45 p. m. Raymond Morrow will be discussing the same subject with the Forum group, while Andrew Shannon will lead the young people's section in discussing "Patriotic Christians." The Philo Christo group at the same time will hear Virginia Elliott on "Looking at Politics Through Christian Eyes."

The monthly Baptist Youth Federation meeting is to be held Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the National Baptist Memorial Church, and will feature the Eliot Junior High Glee Club.

"How to Use Our Bibles" will be the subject of Dr. Albert J. McCartney, speaking before the Covenant Presbyterian Fellowship tomorrow evening. Helen Pope will direct the social hour preceding Dr. McCartney's talk.

Sponsored by the five B. Y. P. U.'s, the Hyattsville First Baptist Church tomorrow at 8 p. m. will hold a service commemorating the Judson Fellowship anniversary. The Rev. J. M. Long, E. V. Cooke, Byron Sorrell, Alice Harris and Emily Ballard are on the committee in charge.

The Intermediate Young People's Group of Chevy Chase Methodist Church tomorrow night at 6:45 o'clock will have as their guests the corresponding group from Woodside M. E. Church.

Lt.-Commissioner Ernest I. Pugmire, territorial commander of the Salvation Army in the Southern States and District of Columbia, will be principal speaker at the anunal Washington divisional young people's conference to be held today and tomorrow at the Salvation Army Temple Corps auditorium, 606 E street northwest.

UNIVERSALIST

Universalist National Memorial Church
Corner 16th and S Sts. N.W.
Rev. Seth Rogers Brooks, D. D.
10:00 A. M.—Church School and Adult Forum.
11:00 A. M.—Sermon and Prayer
"TAKING IT TO HEART"
National Capital Choir, Jessie Masters, Director; H. Jerome Graham, Organist.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

MOUNT VERNON PLACE
Southern Methodism's Representative Church
Massachusetts Ave. at Ninth St. N.W.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—"Christians in a Pagan World"
8:00 p.m.—"The Story of Simon Peter"
DR. JOHN W. RUSTIN, Minister
7:30 p.m.—Organ Recital by Deane Shure

BAPTIST

First Baptist Church
16th and O Sts. N.W.
Rev. Edward Hughes Pruden, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"Our World Needs God."
8 P. M.—"For Better, For Worse."
Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.
B. Y. P. U. at 6:45 P. M.

LUTHERAN

CHURCH OF THE **REFORMATION**
Opposite Folger-Shakespeare Library
219 East Capitol Street
Dr. Oscar F. Blackwelder, Pastor.
Dr. John Weidley, Pastor Emeritus.
Rev. Ralph W. Loew, Assistant Pastor.
8:30 p. m.—Matin Service. "A Religion of Remnants," Rev. Loew.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon: "True Greatness." Dr. Blackwelder.
6:45 p. m.—Luther Leagues.
8 p. m.—Evening Worship. Sermon: "The Descent From the Cross" (Rubens). Dr. Blackwelder.
The Public Is Cordially Invited

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

• Christian Science •
Churches of Christ, Scientist, Branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Columbia Rd. and Euclid St.
Second Church of Christ, Scientist, 111 C St. N.E.
Third Church of Christ, Scientist, 13th and L Sts. N.W.
Fourth Church of Christ, Scientist, 16th and Meridian Sts. N.W.
SUBJECT
"MIND"
SERVICES:
SUNDAY, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 11 a. m.
WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETINGS, 8 o'clock.
Radio Programs
Sunday—9:00 A. M., WJSV.
2nd and 4th Fridays—12:30, WRC.
READING ROOMS
FIRST CHURCH, 730 17th St. N.W.—Hours, 9 to 5, except Wednesdays, 9 to 7 and Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30.
SECOND CHURCH, 111 C St. N.E.—Hours, 12 to 5:30 week days; 2:30 to 5:30 Sundays and holidays.
THIRD CHURCH, Colorado Building, 14th and G Sts. Hours, 9 to 5 (except Wednesdays, 9 to 7:30; Sundays and holidays, 2 to 6.
FOURTH CHURCH, Riggs Bank Bldg., 3300 14th St. N.W.—Hours, 9 to 5 weekdays; Wednesdays, 9:30 to 7; Sundays, 2:30 to 5:30; holidays, 2:30 to 5:30. All are welcome to attend our church services and use our reading rooms.

CHRISTIAN

The National City Christian Church
Thomas Circle
Raphael H. Miller and Ivan H. Dugan, Ministers.
9:45 a. m.—Bible School.
10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship: "What Is Meant by the Divinity of Christ?"—Dr. Miller.
6:00 p. m.—Vesper Service.

UNITARIAN

ALL SOULS' CHURCH
Sixteenth and Harvard Streets
Minister:
Ulysses G. B. Pierce, D.D.
9:45 a. m.—Church School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship.
"THE GREAT COMPASSION"
5:00 p. m.—Program of American Music. Lewis Atwater, organist, assisted by George Irving Chandler, tenor.
5:30 p. m.—Book Chat: "Crippled Splendor."
7:30 p. m.—Motion Picture Hour.
"MOONLIGHT SONATA"

CONGREGATIONAL

1st CHURCH
10th and G Sts. N.W.
11 A. M.
"Mankind's Supreme Egotist or God's Only Begotten Son"
7:45 P. M.
Illustrated lecture on "THE PASSION PLAY OF OBERAMMERGAU," by Page McK. Etchison, religious work director, for the Y. M. C. A.

Epicopal
St. John's Church
16th and H Streets
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Holy Communion and Sermon. Preacher, Dr. Hart.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Dr. Hart.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Rev. Mr. Acton.

Rock Creek Church
Founded A. D. 1719
Rock Creek Church Rd. and Webster St.
Rev. F. J. Bohanan, D. D., Rector
Services, 7:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

Church of the **Epiphany**
1317 G St. N.W.
Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D.D., LL.D.
Rev. Duncan Fraser, B.A.
8:00 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Church School Holy Communion.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer, Service for the Sons of the Revolution, with Sermon by Dr. Phillips.
6:30 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Diamond Jubilee Service for the Knights of Pythias.

Washington Cathedral
Wisconsin and Massachusetts Avenues and Woodley Road
7:30 and 9:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher, Canon Dunlop.
4:00 p. m.—People's Evensong and Sermon. Preacher, the Dean.
Ash Wednesday, February 22
7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.
10:00 a. m.—Litany.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer. Penitential Office and Sermon. Preacher, the Dean.
4:00 p. m.—Evening Prayer and Address by the Dean.

St. Paul's Church
23rd Street near Washington Circle
7:30—Holy Communion.
11:00—Eucharist and Sermon.
8:00—Evensong and Benediction.

Presbyterian
New York Avenue Church
13th & H & N. Y. Avenue
Ministers
Dr. Peter Marshall
Dr. Albert Evans
9:30 A. M.—Church Bible School.
11:00 A. M.—"FROM LAURIE TO LINCOLN."
6:45 P. M.—Young People's Meetings.
8:00 P. M.—"FACT OR PHANTOM?" Dr. Marshall preaching.

Church of the Pilgrims
On the Parkway at 22d and P Sts. N. W.
Gift of the Presbyterians of the South to the Nation's Capital.
Rev. A. R. Bird, D. D., Minister
Divine Worship, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
A Cordial Welcome to All

Covenant-First
Conn. Ave. at 18th & N Sts. N.W.
Albert Joseph McCartney, D. D.
Rev. Samuel R. Allison
Ministers
Morning Worship—11 A. M.
"GREAT TEXTS AND GRAND TRUTHS"
II. A TIMELY TEXT FOR A "JITTERY" WORLD.
DR. McCARTNEY PREACHING
Sunday School for all departments at 9:45 A. M.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN
Southern General Assembly
Sixteenth and Irving Sts. N.W.
Rev. James R. Taylor, D. D., Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Sermon by Dr. Taylor.
5:00 p. m.—Westminster League.
7:00 p. m.—Christian Endeavor.
8:00 p. m.—Sermon by Dr. Taylor.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Married Man's Lone Lapse From Fidelity Threatens Disaster; Girl Wants Money; What to Do?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have been a happily married man for over two years, and my wife and I are anticipating an addition to the fold in July. This will be our first blessed event and should be looked forward to with great joy by me, as well as by my wife. However, the black cloud of ruination is hovering over me. No doubt you, as well as your readers, will heap limitless condemnation upon my head when I state the case, but it is far too great for me to shoulder alone, or to try to solve without advice.

Six weeks ago I was invited to a bachelor friend's apartment to play some chess. When I arrived I found he had a visitor, a most charming visitor who was somewhat elevated by a few too many cocktails. However, she did not interfere with our first two games of chess, but merely sat nearby and attempted to look interested. We all enjoyed a few cocktails (with the exception of the girl, who refused any more).

As the evening wore on, both my friend and I became pretty tight, and his condition was such that I had to volunteer to take the girl home. When we left and got into my car I found that I myself was too tight to take a chance on driving. The girl said she would drive the car as far as her home and then order a taxi for me. I agreed to this plan and she took the wheel. I fell asleep—for what seemed like hours. I was awakened rather suddenly by a kiss, and to my astonishment found that the girl had taken a drive instead of going straight home, and that we were parked on a lonely country roadside. We'll skip the next episode in the chain of events. Finally, we drove back to town and I let her out at her apartment and then drove myself on home. I told her on the way back to town that I was married, and she began to cry and said I should have told her earlier.

Well, I tried to forget the whole thing and had almost succeeded until the end of last week, when I received a long letter from this girl telling me that she was going to have a baby, that would be mine. I have since investigated and it appears that what she says is probably true. I have talked to her at some length about the situation and have made several suggestions. I told her about my wife's condition. She says she will never let my wife know anything about the matter, but that I must try to help her financially, as she will have to give up her job later and leave town. Now, I have hardly enough money to see my wife through, and yet I seem to sense a slightly veiled threat in this girl's pleadings.

I am carrying quite a bit of insurance, but most of it would be voided if I were to die by suicide, to which I have given some thought. I have been trying to figure a way in which to end it all without the insurance company's knowing it to be suicide. I realize these are desperate thoughts, but can you or any of your readers (after condemning me eternally) offer any alternative suggestions? I don't ask for tolerance, although I think almost any other man would have made the same mistake under similar circumstances. DEPRESSED.

Of Human Folly

DEAR DEPRESSED: My first impulse is to reject this document as a phoney, concocted for the purpose of scandalizing supposedly hidebound moralists. However, my increasing acquaintance with the incalculable forms of human folly and stupidity is gradually leading me to believe that almost anything is possible, with utter decency of conduct in all circumstances the least probable. So your story may be true; and you may stand in need of just the advice you purport to solicit.

Having decided to accept the yarn at face value, my next impulse is to designate your Delilah as a casual prostitute and small fry, would-be blackmailer, at worst; and as a casual prostitute, at best. I should say (again accepting your story exactly at face value), that inasmuch as she was the out-and-out aggressor in precipitating the roadside episode, the only crime you committed there was a crime against yourself and those who had sound previous reason for relying upon your honorable representations. I should say that legally and morally you stand absolved of having seduced the alleged complainant; that she alone is responsible for her professed immediate predicament, and that she should, most emphatically, be so informed.

I should say that in speculating on suicide as the way out of your embarrassing stance behind the eight-ball, you are branding yourself a coward, a cad and a cur—in being so ready to pass the buck of a final accounting on to your wife and other innocents. I should say there is only one manly way to deal with this situation—which consists of making a clean breast of the matter, forthwith, to your wife, and of employing a lawyer to represent you in negotiations with the wanton. If the story, as you have told it, is sufficiently factual to withstand any amount of cross examination, all you have to fear in coming out in the open is the possible loss of your wife's allegiance, but you stand to lose that anyhow—and in a far more cruelly complicated way—if you permit the other woman to keep the whiphand.

By throwing yourself on your wife's mercy, as the only way of standing between her and what might be the irreversibly damaging consequences (to her) of your preposterous lapse, I think you will enlist an invaluable ally in putting the interloper to rout—at least for the duration of the skirmish. It will be the brave man's way of unhanding the blackmailer, if such she is; and ths essentially loyal husband's way of showing which side of the fence he is to be found on, when his wife's security is threatened. The average wife, it may surprise you to know, finds it almost impossible to reject the husband who repents an isolated, impetuous mistake with blundering honesty and timid faith in her charity and strength. M. H.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes

Helen Claire and Tallulah Bankhead, Cast in New Roles, Seek to Regain Discarded Southern Accents

New York, Feb. 17.

SEVERAL of our actresses have had strange adventures with their Southern accents this season. Take Helen Claire, who plays the lead in "Kiss the Boys Goodbye." After painstakingly losing her native drawl for a job announcing fashion newsreels, she was forced to acquire it again for her part in the comedy hit. And now it is Tallulah Bankhead's turn.

Talloo, favorite daughter of Jasper, Ala., and of the speaker of the House, had lost all trace of her Southern accent after ten years of success in London and several years of in-and-out luck on Yankee screens and stages. Now that she is cast for the lead in "Little Foxes," in which she plays a Southern belle of 1900, the mercurial Talloo is trying hard to regain her natural "honey-chile" manner of speech. And La Belle Bankhead says it is pretty hard going after such a long spell among the Yankees and the Limeys. But Talloo, in spite of the rigorous demands of her art, is very happy at present, largely because the bloom has not yet worn off her marriage to John Emery, the dashing young actor who looks more like Barrymore than John, himself, did 20 years ago.

ALICE HUGHES

"Why, he never even goes out alone," says Talloo, "and he likes it." That's her story. She further says that he has even learned to like her dog, which is a Pekinese. If these things be true, and who dares doubt the bounding Bankhead, all I can say is that it certainly must be love.

GIRL ABOUT TOWN: Grace Moore, the thrush from Jellicoe, Tenn., continues to receive ovations whenever she sings "Louise" at the Metropolitan Opera, and whenever she goes out in the evening wearing her best party dress she sports a miniature of her recently awarded medal of the Legion of Honor. All in all, it is a big winter for Gracie. She may not be making movie money, but she is having a lot of fun and taking a lot of bows . . . At the same party, where I recently witnessed la Moore and medal, I saw Katharine Cornell, looking very gorgeous in a dark red gown. Katie has no medal, but she is a pretty good actress just the same.

I suppose everybody is now reading Edna Ferber's book of memoirs, called "A Peculiar Treasure." I found it a fascinating piece of work, and it certainly deserves a larger audience than most of the trash which appears these days between covers—especially fiction from overseas.

Week-End Menus

By Alice Clayton
The Post Food Editor.

BREAKFAST

Spiced tomato juice
Broiled sausages
Old-fashioned buckwheat cakes
Maple sirup mixed with butter
Hot cocoa made of top milk

LUNCHEON

Chilled mixed fruit juices
Chicken and hard-boiled egg salad in watercress
(use remains of last night's fowl)
Paper thin bread and butter Sandwiches
Tea
Fresh cocoanut and strawberry sherbet

DINNER

Salmon souffle
Creamed asparagus sauce
Baked Idaho potatoes
Brandied peaches
Brown bread and butter
Jellied fruit surprise
Whipped cream
Black coffee Mixed nuts

SUNDAY DINNER

Broiled tenderloin steak
Savory mushroom gravy
Whipped potatoes
Buttered green peas
Creamed spinach
Grated egg yolk garnish
Thin, buttered rye-bread slices
Head lettuce Relish dressing
Individual strawberry shortcakes
Powdered sugar and whipped cream topping
Demi-tasse

SUNDAY SUPPER

Chilled fruits in liquer
Waffles Creamed chipped beef
Black olives
Hot tea with lemon
Stuffed dates and figs

CREAMY SCRAMBLED EGGS

Mix the following ingredients and beat for 1 minute with an egg beater: 4 beaten eggs, ¼ cup of cream, ⅛ teaspoon of salt, ⅛ teaspoon of paprika, ⅛ teaspoon of minced parsley and a pinch of celery salt. Cook in double boiler until creamy, stirring constantly during cooking.

3-Piece Knitted Jumper Suit Done With Stockinette Stitch

MAKE HER proud as a peacock with this three-piece jumper suit. It's mainly stockinette stitch—the knitting of the suspender skirt gives the effect of tucks. The contrasting blouse repeats the detail of the suit. Pattern 6312 contains instructions for making the three piece suit in 6, 8 and 10 year size; illustrations of it and of stitches; materials needed.

To obtain this pattern send ten cents in coin to The Washington Post Household Arts Dept., 259 W. Fourteenth street, New York, N. Y. Be sure to write plainly your name, address and pattern number.

Your Figure, Madame!

By Ida Jean Kain

Exercise Necessary To Reduce Hips And the Abdomen

EXERCISE makes the fat and the thin slim and whether you are trying to lose or gain or merely to improve your figure, it is a must. There's no alternative if you are to redistribute your poundage in a pleasing assortment of curves.

Of the hundreds of muscles in the body, those forming the abdominal girdle respond most quickly to exercise. You should, of course, take steps to keep this area firm and flat at all times, but particularly when changing your weight.

Gain a few pounds and they apparently make a non-stop dash for the tummy . . . lose a little weight, and this section immediately goes flabby.

Lie on the floor

The very heavy persons will avoid the possibility of strain by taking her exercises while lying on the back on the floor, knees flexed and feet on the floor. It is always better to take exercises of this type on a hard surface such as a mat or blanket spread on the floor. A weak spine will sag into faulty position on a surface that gives. Also the non-yielding surface calls for a higher degree of muscular resistance which increases the value of the exercise.

It is a smart idea for the thin girl to take some exercises with the feet elevated to improve the circulation in the face and throat. The second and third exercises in today's series are good illustrations of this position in exercise.

EXERCISE 1. Position: Lying on the back on the floor, hands clasped back of head, knees flexed, feet flat on the floor.

MOVEMENT: Expel all the air from the lungs, jerk the chest upward, and at the same time pull the lower abdominal muscles up and in to touch the small of the back to the floor. Hold for an instant, but do not hold your breath. Expel the air from the lungs again and repeat the movement. Perform this exercise six times, gradually increasing to 10 times.

Raise Hips off floor

Finish the exercise by raising the hips off the floor until the body is in a straight line. Lower hips to floor and relax. Repeat 10 times.

EXERCISE 2. Position: Lie on the back on the floor and prop the feet on the arm of a chair. Have the arms down at the sides, knees straight.

MOVEMENT: Raise the hips off the floor until you are in a straight line from chest to toes and at the same time fling the arms straight back on floor overhead. Lower hips to floor, hands to sides. Repeat six to 10 times.

EXERCISE 3. Same beginning position except that hands are clasped back of the neck.

MOVEMENT: Bend the right leg at the knee and place the right foot just above the left knee. Then raise the hips off the floor and push down with the right knee. Return hips to floor and alternate sides in the exercise, resting between times as it is strenuous.

The Gentler Sex

BY MALVINA LINDSAY

The Cycle

Glancing in the shop windows as she walked along, she felt a sense of unreality engulfing her. Could this actually be February, 1939? Or had her own individual time clock suddenly gone in reverse? Could she, by any chance, have been catapulted back into one of those idyllic, pre-World War springs of ribbons and laces, of feathers and flowers, of innocence and sentimentality?

No, the surrounding world was unchanged. Yet here were these hats, flaunting unabashedly their gay topknots of geraniums, their bright clusters of cornflowers and petunias, their wreaths of roses, their manifold loops of ribbon, their splashing bows, their rippling streamers, their jaunty quills and birds on the wing, their floating veils. Why, even the chapeaux on the tailored mannequins were perky with bows and bouquets. Even the plaster sub-debs had ribbon streamers on their natty little felts.

The really strange part about it, she reflected as she walked along, was not that such hats were flourishing their fussiness so boldly, but rather that nobody had ever dreamed such a thing would happen again. Certainly no one had dreamed it back in the 1920's—those dear, wild, nostalgic days of the jazz era when everyone felt so emancipated, so modern, so advanced, wearing their tricky little cloches, their slouch felts, their casual and tailored toppings that were the last word in millinery restraint, severity and dash.

She smiled to herself, thinking of those days—remembering how superior she and all her friends had felt to their own counterparts of a decade earlier, recalling how they used to get out the Kodak books for the amusement of visitors and laugh until they wept at snapshots of themselves in those perfectly ridiculous hats weighted down with garlands of roses or primed for flight with bevies of birds.

They used to tell amazing stories in those very, very modern streamlined days of the '20's about the things that had happened to them in the previous era of fussy and "funny" hats. For instance, there was Madge, who would relate how she had a big bunch of cherries on a leghorn hat ("Can you imagine such a thing, girls?") and how she had worn it to the zoo and a monkey reached out and yanked off the cherries, leaving poor Madge to go home in a partly torn and "perfectly bare" hat

Then there was Edith who had bought a green straw intending to get a pink wreath for it later and who, eager to wear it to church, had made a wreath for it of bright live yellow dandelions, and who when she was singing in the choir had noticed the congregation was looking at her and smiling and had later found that her dandelions had gone to sleep.

Then how careful they had all been, she recalled, in the buying of hats, never daring to choose one that might even suggest "dressiness." Why, to wear a flower—or even a bow on your hat was to lay yourself open to the withering epithet "country belle." There was Alice who had a weakness for veiling and who was immediately accused of trying to look like "a woman with a past." And poor Marie's conventional little wreath of roses swathed in net had earned her little saucer-shaped straw the term of "bird's nest."

Oh, how sophisticated and what exponents of good taste they had felt themselves! Yes, they were very sure that the days of flowers and ribbons, of feathers and veils were gone forever. People had become too sensible for that sort of thing. A different world had developed, a practical world, a clean-cut, modernistic world.

And now here were the hats for Easter 1939, the old hats of her girlhood . . . still perhaps not exactly. Maybe they were a little smarter for all their profusion of ribbon and flowers. Maybe they were a little more sophisticated, maybe in a little better taste. And yet—who was she to say? And how would they look to the next generation of tailored women?

Yes, in a few days she herself would be wearing something with a bird's wing, or a cluster of roses, or a floating veil, and walking along the street feeling very chic and dashing, very much a part of tomorrow.

Suddenly it all made her feel a little sad and helpless. She could almost feel the wheel of time turning . . . turning . . . "We spend our days as a tale that is told" Well that was life—even jumping out at you from a millinery window.

Spring Blouses Have Box Pleats

Paris (AP).—Box pleats spell chic in Paris blouses for spring.

Many a new blouse has all of the front and most of the sleeve box-pleated. A pink chiffon tuckin is designed with eight pink satin box-pleats across the front and several down the elbow sleeve. Light blue satin blouses are box-pleated lengthwise, with a center pleat to hold buttons and buttonholes together.

It's a toss-up whether blouse sleeves be long or short. Shirtwaist styles have long sleeves, turned-back buttoned cuffs and usually a shallow yoke. Clusters of fine side pleats may fall in serried ranks from yoke to waist.

Jelleff's—Store of Fashion and——*VALUE!*

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Flowers and Fresheners for Spring!

Corsage of White Violets, $1.

$1.95

Froth of organdie and fagotting!

That's the news in neckwear — appealingly feminine—exquisitely dainty! Lacy fagotted bands of organdie edged with frilly Val-type lace! $1.95.

Frosty white or flower-light!

Pink, sky blue, or chartreuse tints as well as the ever-fresh white—in high-neckline plastrons, little girl collars, V necklines, and tailored collars! $1.95.

Drawstring shirring!

Fresh Spring idea in Misses' Flower Prints

$29.75

Enchantingly feminine frocks—with bib of shirring drawn up with thick cord the new Paris way! And with soft frilly ruching of its own print to swing at the hem and to broaden its shoulders! The print gives you exquisite color—soft flower-y duos of maize and black, or rose and navy, in soft rayon crepe! One of our newest in Misses' sizes, sketched below.

Misses' Gown Salon, Second Floor

Louise Mulligan

does inspiring things with PRINTS for JUNIORS

$16.95 to $25

Young prints—spirited colorful prints—sharp black-and-white prints! Prints to make you pretty with dyed-to-match laces and big bright bows—shirred up with the new Paris-decreed drawstrings—or starchy with pique for 9s to 17s. "Square Root," sketched left, is white-checkered black silk with loops of white pique! $16.95.

Boleros too by Louise Mulligan in navy or black 3-piecers with striped or eyelet-embroidered white blouses! $25.

Exclusive with Jelleff's—Junior Deb Shop, Fourth Floor

Long Fitted Coats

double the chic of Misses' Sheer Wool Costumes

In Black flashed With White— $25

Tuck upon tuck to give the new feeling of motion and fine detail. Coat with gored flaring skirt all tucked—dress with panel of tucks from neckline to hem! Beautiful black sheer wool with fresh white pique to light it up for Spring! Misses' sizes. Pictured above.

Misses' Dress Shop, Second Floor.

English Doe-finish Sheepskin

White Gloves

$2 Gloves 4-button..... $1.65

$3 Gloves 6-button..... $1.85

Beautiful gloves of fine English skins that are greatly favored at regular prices! Precisely cut and made in America for the smooth fit you demand. Full-pique sewn for fine finish.

In NATURAL, too; smart to wear with Spring colors!

"Powder Blue!"

says Alice Hughes! Here in Spring Shirt Frocks

Fine-twilled wool flannel! $10.95

Here's a dress to thrill you who love fine tailoring! A shirt dress that's perfection from its crisp little collar to the hem of the skirt that boasts two generous box pleats in front and back, and the fine bound buttonholes! Little "sweetheart" buttons of cushiony saddle-stitched leather contrast with the delicate shades of rose, Powder Blue, aqua. 12 to 20.

Sport Shop, Third Floor.

Society to Welcome Mlle. Boulanger Here

French Envoy to Honor 'Most Talented Woman in Music'

Washington society, as well as musical circles, always welcomes the annual visits of Mlle. Nadia Boulanger, of Paris. The distinguished French musician will come here next week for another stay and will be guest of honor at a dinner to be given next Saturday by French Ambassador Count Rene de Saint Quentin.

The Ambassador is now in New York, where he went to attend an official banquet, but will return the first of the week to plan for the dinner which will precede the musicale. In past visits Mlle. Boulanger has brought with her a small but distinguished vocal ensemble whose performance has brought great pleasure to Washingtonians.

Probably Will Stay At Dumbarton Oaks

Mlle. Boulanger sometimes stays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss on her visits here, and while she will not be with them this trip, it is expected that she will be a guest at Dumbarton Oaks when she returns to the Capital in March or April.

A clew to the light in which this musician is regarded in the musical world may be gleaned from the fact that she is the only woman ever invited to conduct the Boston Symphony Orchestra. Last February she led this orchestra and the Radcliffe-Harvard Chorus in a first American performance of the Faura Requiem and played the organ part in a Saint Saens symphony.

Head of the department of composition at the Ecole Normante de Musique in Paris and of the Fontainbleau School of Music, Mlle. Boulanger is a chevalier of the Legion of Honor and has won the Prix de Rome, most coveted honor within the power of the Paris Conservatoire to confer. Harold Bauer once called her "the most talented woman in music."

Dr. Aranha to See President Again

Another distinguished visitor who has been feted here at many parties for a week is Dr. Oswaldo Aranha, Brazilian Foreign Minister, who will continue his important talks with officials of our Government, and will see the President again when the latter returns from a cruise in the Caribbean. Dr. Aranha hopes for a few days in New York as well before sailing March 10 with his party for Brazil.

Yesterday Dr. Aranha lunched at the Mayflower with the Undersecretary of State, Sumner Welles, and then drove over to Baltimore to see his brother, Luis Aranha, who accompanied him to this country for treatment at Johns Hopkins.

The popular minister, formerly Brazil's Ambassador here, is making no social engagements very far ahead for the coming week, but undoubtedly will be feted at a number of dinners and teas. He is being helped in the intricacies of his social schedule by Decio de Moura, formerly with the embassy staff and now a member of the Brazilian Commission to the World's Fair. Dr. Aranha brought Senor de Moura down from New York with him, and the latter will return to Manhattan with the foreign minister.

Pre-Lenten Saturday Unusually Gay

Meanwhile, as Lent signifies a slowing-up of the social whirl, the last Saturday before the six-week season is crowded with various parties. There are half a dozen cocktail parties and teas on the book for today, among them that at which Mme. Pelenyi, wife of the Hungarian Minister, will entertain for Dr. and Mrs. Austin Chinn; the party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilmer for Mr. and Mrs. John Hollister; Mannix Walker's tea for Evelyn Gould, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson's cocktail party, and the tea dance at which the Misses Nancy Woodward and Nancy Ordway will be hosts at the Officers Club of the Army War College. Mme. Horinouchi, wife of the Japanese Ambassador, will also entertain a few friends at tea.

Hosts at dinner tonight include Representative and Mrs. Richard Wigglesworth, who will honor the United States Ambassador to Brazil and Mrs. Jefferson Caffery, and the Chief of the Bureau of Navigation and Mrs. James O. Richardson, who will also entertain.

Visiting Here From California

Benson Weeks.

Mrs. William C. Fortune and her baby daughter, Amy Elaine, who recently arrived from their home in Long Beach, Calif., to visit the former's father, E. Windsor Offutt, at his home in Chevy Chase. Mrs. Fortune's husband, Lieut. Fortune, is now on sea duty with the fleet

Debs to Attend Academy Hop

Miss Barbara Henning, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sears Henning; Miss Margherita Stirling, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. William Calhoun Stirling, and Miss Mary Alice Sturdevant, daughter of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Edward Warren Sturdevant, will go to Annapolis today to be guests of Miss Margaret Weems, daughter of Lieut. Commander Philip Van Horn Weems.

The girls will attend the hop at the Naval Academy tonight and several other parties before returning to Washington tomorrow night.

The Hunt Country

By Nina Carter Tabb

THE VIRGINIANS Horse Show to be held today at Camden, S. C., at the stables and showground of J. North Fletcher, will attract many from Virginia and horsemen from numerous States. Some of the finest equine F. F. V.'s, as well as those from the North and East, will compete for the trophies.

Among those who will take part are Jane Wilbur and Alex Calvert, of Warrenton. Mrs. George Greenhalgh, of Berryville, has taken a string of show horses and Mrs. Billie Jacobs Weatherill motored down with her to ride. Mrs. Howard Butts and Miss Nancy Haas went from Keswick. Mrs. Marion du Pont Scott, of Orange, Va., who winters many of her horses at Camden, will show in all classes. Others are Mrs. Cary Jackson, of Keswick; Mrs. William Perry, also of that place; Wilhelmina Kirby, of Bedford Hills, N. Y., and Mrs. Raymond Woolfe, of Redbank, N. J.

OTHERS are Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis, of Hot Springs, Va.; Mrs. Julian Bolton, of Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Worrall Hyde, of Greenwich, Conn.; Miss Anne Miller, of Glen Cove, Long Island; Mrs. Edward Lasker, of Port Chester, N. Y.; Miss Bruner Honeyman, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Dwight Partridge, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. George Watts, of Durham, N. C.; Miss Peggy Wing, of Long Island; Maj. Lester Karrow, of Charleston, S. C.; F. Ambrose Clark, of New York; Richard K. Mellon, of Ligonier, Pa.; Harry D. Kirkover, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. David Williams, of Tulsa, Okla., and J. North Fletcher and William Streett, of Warrenton.

HUNTING LOG

Today's Meets

Virginia

Blue Ridge Hounds—Clay Hill—10 a. m.

Casenova Hunt—For time and place call Warrenton 198-W.

Deep Run Hunt—Clubhouse—3 p. m.

Orange County Hunt—Call the Plains operator.

Middleburg Hunt—For time and place call Middleburg operator.

Farmington Hunt — Farmington—2:30 p. m.

Warrenton Hunt—For time and place call Warrenton 318.

Maryland

Potomac Hunt—Mr. Plummer's corner—1:45 p. m.

Redland Hunt—Laytonsville—1 p. m.

Elk Ridge—Harford Hunt—Mr. Murgatroyd's place—2 p. m.

Green Spring Valley Hunt—Kennels—2 p. m.

Notes of Society

Official and Residential

The Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Horinouchi entertained at dinner on Thursday evening for several Army ordinance inspectors of New York, and for Maj. Tomojiro Honda, Assistant Military Attache, who will leave on Monday to return to Japan via Europe. Col. Yoiti Koko, his successor, was also an honor guest at the dinner.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Walter C. Baker will return the first of next week from New York, where they are spending several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Edmunds McWilliams, of Shamokin, Pa., are at the Shoreham for several days, having come here to attend the Brazilian Embassy reception on Thursday for Dr. Oswaldo Aranha. They met him returning from a Southern cruise on the Nieuw Amsterdam, which also brought the Foreign Minister and his party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Lovelace, of Montgomery, Ala., are at the Raleigh.

Mrs. J. Redfield Vose, of New York and London, who has been in Florida and the Carolinas since returning from Europe in November, is at the Shoreham, where she spends part of every winter.

Mrs. Stuart Bailey Moody was feted at a birthday supper dance given in the Metronome Room of the Wardman Park last evening by her husband. The guests were Miss Helen Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon House, Mr. and Mrs. Mac H. Snellings, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Earp and William Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barron, of Zebulon, N. C., are at the Raleigh.

Mrs. Alfred Gilderseeve, of New York, is at the Shoreham en route to Charlottesville, Va., for a visit.

Now at the Raleigh are Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Kilmar, of Stillwater, N. J., and Miss Mabel Hayes, of Franklin, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew M. Alexander, of Charleston, W. Va., are at the Shoreham.

Mrs. Swanson Returning

Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, who has been away from Washington on a vacation, will return to the city tomorrow afternoon.

Tea Arranged Tomorrow at Decatur House

Mrs. Truxtun Beale Will Entertain From 5 to 7 P. M.

Historic Decatur House on Jackson Place, facing Lafayette Park, will be the scene of a large tea tomorrow when the owner, Mrs. Truxtun Beale, entertains from 5 to 7 p. m.

The hostess will be assisted by Countess van der Straten-Ponthoz, wife of the Belgian Ambassador; Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Tracy Dows, Miss Irene Boyle and Mme. Cantacuzene, who will pour tea.

Decatur House was the first dwelling built on Lafayette square after the White House, and it was from this dwelling that Commodore Stephen Decatur went forth to fight a duel with Commodore James Barron, in which he was killed.

The house has never been changed since it was first built, and does not even have electricity. There is much beautiful furniture and many articles of historic interest, including a mirror frame carved from the timbers of the frigate Congress, on which Lieut. Edward Beale, father of the late Truxtun Beale, made his first voyage. The mirror, in the form of a wreath, was sent to his family at the time of his death by one of the sailors who had been with him on the Congress.

The floor of one of the upstairs rooms is made entirely of wood brought back from California by Lieut. Beale. In the room adjacent are the original plans of the house. More recently plans were made by WPA workers to be lodged in the Library of Congress.

Mrs. Beale has opened her home to the public in the past for the benefit of the Naval Historical Foundation, and many have had the opportunity of viewing the treasures therein and of seeing the large walled garden in the rear. The last big party given there by Mrs. Beale was a supper after the diplomatic reception at the White House last winter.

Lenten Concert Of Social Note

Washington society will be well represented at the eighth annual Lenten Concert of the A Capella Choir of the First Congregational Church on Monday evening, March 13, at Constitution Hall.

Among the sponsors who will entertain friends in their boxes that night are Mrs. Charles L. McNary, Miss Mary B. Adams, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. Frederick Benton, Mrs. E. Dana Durand and the Rev. T. Ze Barney Phillips.

Originally held in the ballroom of the Mayflower, the concerts were moved to Constitution Hall when the audience increased beyond the ballroom's capacity. Mrs. Ruby Smith Stahl organized the choir and has conducted its every concert since its beginning under the Coolidge Administration.

Robert Blisses Give Dinner For Cafferys

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss gave a dinner last night at Dumbarton Oaks in honor of the United States Ambassador to Brazil and Mrs. Jefferson Caffery.

The distinguished visitors, who are stopping at the Mayflower, will be feted tonight at a dinner to be given by Representative and Mrs. Richard Wigglesworth. Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Breckinridge Long will give a luncheon for them.

McDaniels Return From Wedding Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith McDaniel have returned from their wedding trip and are making their home at 1301 Vermont avenue. Mrs. McDaniel is the former Miss Mary Almira Bussells and is the daughter of Mrs. Isaac Milton Bussells and the late Mr. Bussells, of Fleeton, Va. The marriage ceremony was performed on Saturday, February 4, in St. Mary's Church in Fleeton. The Rev. Frederick Griffith, pastor, officiated.

Escorted and given in marriage by her brother, Clifford Lee Bussells, the bride was attired in a gown of white chiffon velvet. It was fashioned with long sleeves and the skirt terminated in a long train. Seed pearls trimmed the round neckline and seed pearls also formed the coronet from which was draped a veil of illusion. She carried a prayer book and a shower bouquet of gardenias and lilies of the valley.

The matron of honor was Mrs. George Baumann, of Washington. She was dressed in delphinium blue chiffon and her bouquet was of American beauty roses. C. B. McDaniel, of Fredericksburg, Va., brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The ushers included James McDaniel, another brother of the bridegroom; Osborn Koener, A. M. Rucker and George Cooper, of Washington.

Following the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's mother.

Those who attended the ceremony from Washington were Miss Lois Harris, Miss Sue Frazier, Miss Germaine Bernard, Miss Leona Richardson, John Mason, Carter McFarland, Sutton Jett, Robert Jett, Patrick Kenney, Alexander Stant and George A. Baumann.

Conards Entertain Friends in Navy Set

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Charles Conard entertained at a dinner at the Chevy Chase Club last evening for several members of the Navy set.

Their guests were Rear Admiral and Mrs. James O. Richardson, Rear Admiral and Mrs. H. L. Brinser, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Albert T. Church, Capt. and Mrs. Ray Steere, Capt. and Mrs. Julius A. Furer and Capt. and Mrs. H. A. Stuart.

Sir Ronald Lindsay, British Diplomat, Reaches New York

The British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, arrived in New York yesterday on the Aquitania after several months in England.

Also a passenger was Robert J. Watt, well-known labor leader, who is returning to Washington after several months with the International Labor Office in Geneva.

Philippine Aide To Give Dinner

A small dinner will be given by the Philippine Resident Commissioner and Mme. Joaquin M. Elizalde at their Shoreham Hotel suite Monday evening.

Guests will be Vice President of the Philippines Sergio Osmena, Mr and Mrs. Salvador Araneta, Mr. and Mrs. M. Erana, Mr. and Mrs. U. Zafra and Miss Helen Benitez.

Harold Ickes and Wife In San Francisco

Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Harold L. Ickes, who have been away from the city for some time while the Secretary is making a speaking tour, are at present in San Francisco.

They will return to Washington about March 1.

To Give Party

Comdr. and Mrs. R. A. Dyer will entertain at a cocktail party this afternoon. There will be about 60 guests.

Visits Friends

Miss Anne Carter Greene is spending the week-end with friends in Philadelphia.

Her Betrothal Is Told

Bachrach Photo.

Miss Jane Walker Stevenson, whose engagement to Robinson McIlvaine is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper Stevenson, of Middleburg, Va., and Sewickley, Pa. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McIlvaine, of Downington, Pa.

Washingtonians Make Miami Capital of Gayety This Season

James A. Farley Luncheon Guest Of Oliver A. Quayle, Jr.; Shouses Frequently Feted by Wideners

Washingtonians currently vacationing in Miami are contributing greatly to the gayety of the season there.

The Postmaster General, James A. Farley, there for a rest, was guest of honor at a luncheon given earlier in the week by Oliver A. Quayle, jr., of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jouett Shouse have been entertained frequently at luncheon and the racing at Hialeah Park by Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. B. Widener 2d and Joseph E. Widener, of Philadelphia. The Shouses recently returned to Miami from a four-day cruise to Havana with Col. and Mrs. M. Robert Gugenheim on the Guggenheim yacht, Firenze. Other passengers were Count Nicholas Wendolowski, Polish vice consul in New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Medley Whelpley, also of New York.

The fifty-second aniversary of the Biscayne Bay Yacht Club will be celebrated by a reception and chowder party for members of the club and their guests on Washington's Birthday, on Wednesday. Key Biscayne will be the scene of the party. Dr. and Mrs. David G. Fairchild, of Washington, who are passing the season at their Coconut Grove estate, will be among those attending. Mrs. Grosvenor Blair, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert H. Grosvenor, of Washington, also will be present. Mrs. Blair is an instructor in the auxiliary sailing group of the yacht club organized this year for women members who wish to learn to sail.

Carl Smith, of Washington, is here on his yacht, Larc II. Mr. Smith is an annual visitor to Miami and frequently entertains on board the yacht.

B. Y. Morrison, horticulturist in charge of the division of plant exploration and introduction in Washington, was a speaker on Tuesday at the annual meeting of the Fairchild Tropical Garden. The garden was given to the City of Miami by Col. Robert H. Montgomery, of Greenwich, Conn., and was named for Dr. David Fairchild, also of Washington.

Mrs. J. M. Pickens and Richard W. Conway are among Washington visitors there for the season. They are registered at the Urmey.

Michael J. O'Brien, also of Washington, has arrived at the Columbus for a week's stay.

Thelman Hendrick, John E. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Walker and Dr. Harry M. Kaufman, all of Washington, have arrived at the Everglades. Other recent arrivals there are Mr. and Mrs Frank W. Hoover and Mrs. Edith Cunningham. They are visiting Mrs. James W. Jackman, sister of Mrs. Hoover and Mrs. Cunningham.

Harry R. Daniels Plan 2 Parties This Week-End

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Randolph Daniel will entertain at two cocktail parties this week-end. One will take place this afternoon and the other tomorrow afternoon. Both have been arranged in honor of the Daniels' house guests, Mrs. Heath McClung Steel and her daughter, Miss Margaret Steele, of Plandome, Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Steele and their daughter spend a great many week-ends at their farm, the Glen Mary, St. Mary's County, Md., where they entertain at many large house parties throughout the year.

Chinese Socialite Guest of Laymans

Mrs. Eva Kimm, of Tientsin, China, is the house guest of Maj. and Mrs. Walter G. Layman, of Fort Howard, Md. Mrs. Kimm, a daughter of one of China's oldest families, is regarded as one of the most attractive women of her country.

She will be joined shortly by her husband, Dr. Kimm, who has been attending the University of Chicago. After a short tour of the East, they will sail, March 3, on the Normandie for a visit to Europe. Mrs. Kim attended the Army Horse Show at Fort Myer yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Alfons Landa Entertains at Dinner

Mrs. Alfons Landa entertained at a small dinner last night at her residence here.

Guests were Mrs. Katherine Conner, Mrs. Crosby Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Powell, Eugene O'Dunne, Stephen Spingarn and John Logan.

Miss Stevenson Engaged to Mr. McIlvaine

Bride-to-Be Is Well Known in Hunt Sections

Of wide interest to society in Washington, Pittsburgh and the Virginia hunting country is the announcement by Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper Stevenson, of Sewickley, Pa., and Middleburg, of the engagement of their daughter Miss Jane Walker Stevenson, to Robinson McIlvaine, of Downington, Pa., and Washington.

Miss Stevenson is one of Virginia's most accomplished young horsewomen, and has won ribbons and trophies all over the United States. A granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, of Pittsburgh, and the Rev. and Mrs. William P. Stevenson, of Maryville, Tenn., she attended the Hill School in Middleburg, and was graduated from Miss Porter's School in Farmington, Conn., in 1937. She made her debut at a large dance given that year by Mr. and Mrs. Walker at the Pittsburgh Club, and is a member of Orange County Piedmont and Middleburg Hunts.

Mr. McIlvaine is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McIlvaine, of Downington. He was graduated in 1934 from Harvard, and is a member of the Hasty Pudding, Institute of 1770, Dicky and Fox clubs. He has lived in Washington, where he is with the Republican National Committee, for the past year.

Ft. Belvoir Club To Stage Play

With Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt heading the list of patronesses, the Essayons Dramatic Club, of Fort Belvoir, Va., is swinging into the final stretch of rehearsals for "First Lady," the sparkling and witty three-act play by Katherine Dayton and George Kauffman, which is based on the Washington merry-go-round of drawing room politics.

The play will be given March 4, the former inauguration day, at the Fort Belvoir Post Theater. This is the second performance of the season of the seventy-second year of the existence of the Essayons Club, whose members are the officers and their wives of the Engineer Corps of the Army. The club is the oldest known Little Threater group in America, and dates from the Civil War.

Other patronesses are Mrs. Harry H. Woodring, wife of the Secretary of War; Mrs. Francis Sayre, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State; Senora Colon Eloy Alfaro, wife of the Ecuadorean Ambassador; Mrs. Malin Craig, wife of Gen. Craig, the chief of staff; Mrs. Julian L. Schley, wife of Maj. Gen. Schley, chief of engineers; Mrs. John J. Kingman, wife of Brig. Gen. Kingman, assistant chief of engineers; Mrs. Charles Beatty Moore, Mme. E. E. Lombard, wife of Col. Lombard, French Military Attache; Mrs. David St. Pierre Gaillard, Miss Laura Harlan, Mrs. Louis Scott, Mrs. Oscar Underwood and Mrs. William Wrightson.

Norths and Daughters Back From New York

Roy M. North, Assistant Postmaster General, and Mrs. North and their daughters, the Misses Romona Ruth and Janice North, have returned from New York, where they attended the dinner given last Saturday at the Hotel Astor by the postal supervisors of New York in honor of James A. Farley and his assistants.

At the dinner Mrs. North played several violin solos, accompanied by Jascha Zaye, concert pianist. Mrs. North is a pupil of Eddy Brown, concert violinist.

Dutch Vice Admiral Here on Naval Mission

Vice Admiral M. H. van Dulin has arrived in Washington with members of the Netherlands naval mission, of which he is chairman. They are staying at the Shoreham.

Other members are Commander J. W. Tehmytelen, Lieut. Comdr. J. W. Tetenburg and Lieut. Comdr. D. van Leeuwen. They will be here until the end of March.

Returns in March

Mrs. Ella Davis, of Walbridge place, who is vacationing in Miami with her niece, Miss Ruth Fink, is planning to return to the city the early part of March.

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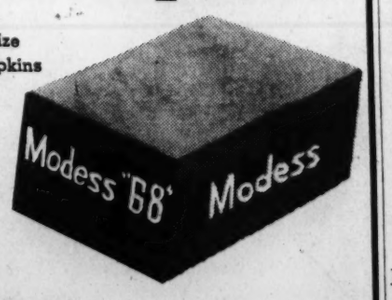

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Political Expressions Of Britons Held Curbed

University Women Told by Mrs. Morgan That Public Has but Little to Say on Foreign Policies of Their Government

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Club Editor.

The party system as it is carried out in England is responsible for the fact that the English people have been unable to express their sentiment regarding the Chamberlain foreign policy, Mrs. Laura Puffer Morgan told members of the Washington branch of the American Association of University Women at a dinner given in her honor last night at the clubhouse.

Explaining the overwhelming vote of confidence the prime minister received in the House of Commons, she said that the government has a tremendous majority. In the membership of more than 600, there are not more than 150 votes in the Liberal and Labor opposition. If the Conservative Party goes against Chamberlain, refusing him a vote of confidence, and thus obliging him to resign, it will mean the government will go out with him and the party is unwilling to relinquish its position of supremacy, she said.

"There also is strict party discipline," said Mrs. Morgan. "After Munich, when 30 Conservatives refrained from voting, they were called before a party council to explain why."

Mrs. Morgan, who is Geneva representative for the National Peace Conference, makes Geneva her headquarters, and returned only the last of January from Europe, where she had been since April, 1938. She has spent most of her time abroad for the past seven years, and discussed the interpational situation from the viewpoint of a first-hand observer.

"The Chamberlain government was elected in November, 1935, on the issue of support of the League of Nations and the rearmament policy, she said. It still pays lip-service to the League, but fails to follow the League's principles, although public opinion in England still is behind the League."

"The public here has no conception of the tremendous amount of practical international co-operation the League still is carrying on. As its political influence wanes, its activity increases in social, economic, humanitarian and health fields and in handling of the refugee problem. In all of these the United States has co-operated to the fullest extent possible without being a member."

Mrs. Morgan was introduced by Mrs. John Donaldson, chairman of international relations for the local branch of the A. A. U. W., and spoke before a company of more than 100 guests. She will present a series of three lectures on "The International Crisis" on Saturday mornings in March at the Shoreham Hotel, with the A. A. U. W., the Department of Government and Foreign Policy of the D. C. Voteless League of Women Voters, the Council of Jewish Women, the Trade Union League and the Radcliffe College Club among the sponsoring organizations.

St. John's Club Sets Card Party

The St. John's Mothers Club will hold its annual card party and dance Tuesday evening, February 21, in Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. Donald V. Hunter, general chairman of the committee on arrangements, is assisted by Brother Augustin F. S. C. chairman of the floor committee and of the student body; Mrs. A. T. Schwartz, patrons; Mrs. W. H. Clawson, music; Mrs. Charles L. Norris, program; Mrs. F. A. Ostman, printing; Mrs. A. W. Cross, decorations; Mrs. F. Joseph Weber, arrangements; Mrs. J. J. Swagart, tickets; Mrs. Louis Crismond, prizes; Mrs. Stephen Pope, alumni; Mrs. Charles A. Everett, tallies; Mrs. Evilyn D. Leach, cards; Mrs. Martin Beard, publicity; Col. Edgar Jenkins, student body.

Patrons for the event include Mrs. Roosevelt, Postmaster General Farley, Secretary of War Woodring, Secretary of the Navy Swanson, Assistant Attorney General Joseph B. Keenan, Chief Justice Hughes, Senator and Mrs. Patrick McCarran, Senator Joseph O'Mahoney, the French Ambassador Count Rene de Saint Quentin, the Belgian Ambassador Count van der Straten-Ponthoz, the Minister of El Salvador Senor de Castro, Charge d'Affaires of Italy Giuseppe Cosmelli, the Naval Attache of the Italian Embassy Capt. D. Umberto Cugia, Judge Mary O'Toole, Judge Ellen K. Raedy, Judge Robert E. Mattingly, Judge Edward Curran, Joseph P. Tumulty, Leo Rover, Mrs. Joseph Leiter, Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton, Capt. J. A. Mayhew, Mgr. E. L. Buckey, Mgr. E. Connelly, the Rev. James A. Smyth, Joseph J. Malloy, national executive committeeman of the American Legion, and James T. Brady, D. C. commander of the American Legion.

Crittenton Board to Meet

The board of Florence Crittenton Home will meet for luncheon at the home, 4759 Reservoir road, at 1 o'clock.

Card Party Planned

The Mayflower Society will have a card party at Pierce Hall, Sixteenth and Harvard streets, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Silver Tea to Be Given

Division No. 7 of the Ladies Auxiliary Ancient Order of Hibernians (A. O. H.) will give a silver tea, at the home of Mrs. James Conlon, 1414 Decatur street, from 4 to 7, tomorrow afternoon.

Beta Sigma Phi Organizes Council

Post Staff Photo.

Two new chapters were instituted and a city council formed last night by Beta Sigma Phi, international sorority, at a meeting at the Hay-Adams House. Left to right are Mrs. Mary Cannon, president of Eta; Miss Mildred Brown, president of Zeta, and Miss Lyda Huff, international field executive

Colonial Group Plans Luncheon

The Washington Council of the Descendants of the American Revolution has announced a luncheon at Wesley Hall, Wednesday at 1 o'clock in observance of George Washington's birthday. The meeting will be preceded by a wreath-laying ceremony at the Washington Monument at 11 a. m.

Senator Thomas, of Utah, will be the guest speaker at the luncheon of which Representative Kent Keller, of Illinois, is chairman. His subject will be "What Did the Constitutional Fathers Dream?"

The delegation which will lay the wreath will include Miss Susan B. Anthony, Robert Davenport, and Mr. and Mrs. Jan Deiss.

There will be discussion in the business meeting of reports submitted by the New York headquarters of the organization on "Activities of the Nazi Bund" and of the Dies Committee.

The luncheon sponsors include: Miss Anthony, Mrs. Clifford Durr, Howard Gill, Mrs. Ernest Gruening, Dr. Isabelle C. Kendig, Mrs. Ernest K. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Mackenzie, Mrs. Emma Guffey Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Huston Thompson, Mrs. Edwin S. Smith, Mrs. Luke I. Wilson.

Dr. Mary Davis Addresses P.-T.A. Founders' Day Fete

A mother's interest is more important to the child than any physical advantages he can have in the home, members of the District of Columbia Congress of Parents and Teachers were told yesterday by Dr. Mary Dabney Davis, of the office of education. Dr. Davis addressed the annual founders' day meeting in the board room of the N. E. A. building on Sixteenth street, at which more than 100 were present.

The I. Q. is not static but plastic, she said, and may be improved by nursery school guidance and that which follows during school life.

The program also included music by a trio, Mrs. T. David Gates, director of the Mothersingers; Mrs. Arthur Oehm and Mrs. T. H. Poole, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Boal. Mrs. T. H. Young was chairman of arrangements and the congress president, Mrs. Walter B. Fry, presided.

There were also money gifts from each of the units, to be divided between the local and national organizations for extension work.

The National Congress was founded February 17, 1897 by the late Mrs. Theodore A. Birney and Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst.

Mrs. Woodring Presides at Tea

Mrs. Harry H. Woodring, wife of the Secretary of War and a member of the Washington Girl Scout Council will preside at the tea table for the fifth international tea at the National Girl Scouts Little House tomorrow. Also pouring will be Mrs. Charles McNary, wife of the Senator from Oregon; Mrs. Frederick, Atherton and Miss Elizabeth Houghton, all members of the council.

The ambassadors and ministers and their families who are members of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts will be received by Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke, national president of the Girl Scouts of America, and Mrs. Henry H. Flather, chairman of the National Little House committee.

Others assisting will be Mrs. W. M. Kiplinger, Mrs. Edward S. Johnson and Mrs. J. P. Leake, officers of the council; Mrs. Gerrit S. Miller, jr., chairman of the Juliette Low Memorial fund; Mrs. LeRoy Barton, member of the council and leader of troop No. 8, and Mrs. Proctor Dougherty, chairman of public relations committee.

Girl Scouts from Troops 76 and 118 from the Blessed Sacrament School, Mrs. Paul A. Hurney, leader, will wear the Guide and Scout uniforms of the affiliated countries; a Covina California Girl Scout, Alice Voorhis, who is spending the winter in Washington, is wearing one of the uniforms.

Constitution Adopted For D.C. Archives Center

A constitution and by-laws were adopted yesterday at a meeting of the Washington Branch of the World Center for Women's Archives, of which Mrs. Emily Newell Blair is head. The organization will be formally inaugurated on March 4, with a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Roosevelt, to which she and other distinguished guests will bring some of their own papers for the archives.

Madame Chairman

By Suzanne

MRS. FRONA WAIT COLBURN, of San Francisco, was guest of honor for whom Mrs. Tomas Cajigas, hospitality chairman of the League of American Pen Women, arranged a luncheon yesterday in the Louis Seize room at the Shoreham.

Among those attending were Mrs. May West Owen, of Denver, fourth vice president of the League of American Pen Women; Mrs. Louise Hartley Wassel, second vice president; Miss Mabel H. Pittle, executive secretary; Mrs. Marian Needham Taft, treasurer; Miss Clara Manderschied, recording secretary; Mrs. Lela Pier King, membership chairman, and Mrs. Inez Tylor, president of the District of Columbia League of American Pen Women.

A GROUP of 22 business girls and women this morning leaves by motor for Allentown, Pa., to attend the Y. W. C. A. Business and Professional Women's Eastern Regional Conference.

Delegates are Margaret Stevens, Virginia Stevens, Minerva Whitmore, Emma Humphrey, Virginia Johnston, Sara Motley, Dorothy Wurtsbaugh, Florence Nichol, Margaret Hibble, Flora Buchanan, Elizabeth Morris all from the Blue Triangle Club. Marion Butler, Jean Carr, Marie Higdon, Helen Huff and Genie Sutton will represent the Xenos Club of the Business and Professional Women's Department. Others going are: Edith Reiger, Louise Danforth, Doris Brattain, Mary Putnam, of the Washington staff; Miss Jessie Smith, of the board of directors, and Mrs. Isola Dodic, of the Business and Professional Women's Tuesday Evening Dinner Group.

THE WASHINGTON CHAPTER of the American Stenotypist Association held its monthly meeting last week at the Wardman Park Hotel and heard reports from the president, Walter Hickman, and Mrs. Anne Burness, on the recent national conference they attended in Cleveland. Plans were discussed there for the national convention to be held in Washington in June.

D. A. R. Defense Group Urged To Oppose U. S. Aid to Education

Mrs. Dingley Assails Measure After Committee Hears Representative Gearhart Urge Adequate Armaments to Help Maintain Peace

Defense against the bill providing Federal aid for education was urged yesterday at a meeting of the committee on national defense through patriotic education of the D. C. Daughters of the American Revolution. After an address by Representative Bertran Gearhart, of California, on adequate armament as a factor for peace, Mrs. Harrison Dingley, an active D. A. R. member, called attention to the provisions of the bill on education.

"Why if that bill was passed, we would not even own our own children," she declared, urging other members to reach Congressmen through their friends in the States.

Representative Gearhart, in discussing the necessity for adequate armament, said that preceding all wars in which this country has been involved, when the question of preparedness has been raised, there has always been the retort: "Preparedness against what?"

"Those who knew have been unable to answer for fear of rocking the peace of the world," he said. "But peace can come only through strength, not through weakness."

"Throughout history, he said, "nations which have lost interest in national defense have not only lost in military supremacy but in the ways of peace. They have been willing to trust in the future's peace without being willing to do their part in its maintenance.

Mrs. Frank H. Towner, chairman of the committee, presided at the meeting. Preceding the address by Representative Gearhart, there was music by musicians from the Navy Band. A luncheon was held at the close of the meeting, attended by 90 members and guests with the speaker as the guest of honor. It was the first occasion on which a luncheon has been arranged following the defense meeting. The Rev. Walter Borchers offered the invocation and Boy Scouts were present to recite the Scout pledge.

The members yesterday voted funds to continue the monthly sessions for several months longer, at least until the adjournment of Congress.

Mrs. Houghton Honored

Mrs. Arthur C. Houghton, corresponding secretary, District Daughters of the American Revolution, was honored at a reception at the Thomas Circle Club last night by the members of Continental Dames Chapter, D. A. R. Mrs. Houghton was regent of that chapter prior to assuming her present office.

Holy Name Juniors To Install Officers

Junior Holy Name Auxiliary, Knights of St. John, will install its new officers at ceremonies tomorrow at the Continental Hotel from 2 to 5 p. m. District President Mrs. Wilfred P. Ross will be installing officer.

The meeting will be opened by Past President Jean Mazzullo, and Marjorie Cannon will give the flower presentation. Mary Teresa Dwyer will act as grand messenger.

Officers to be installed are: President, Jean Mattingly; first vice president, Margaret Panzer; second vice president, Mary Heddings; recording secretary, Katherine Healey; financial secretary, Margaret Carley; treasurer, Patricia Gannon; messenger, Margaret Brand; guard, Geraldine Rossiter. Mrs. Emma E. Panzer will direct the group.

The ceremonies will be followed by a tea and recital. Those to appear on the program are Beatrice Giller, Mary Heddings, Elizabeth Hassett, Jean Gill, Margaret Carley, Teresa Raggazzino, June Heddings and Katherine Healey.

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Muralist Sees Work Hung in Washington

William Cropper, artist of Croton-on-Hudson, N. Y., examines his mural depicting construction of Grand Coulee Dam, hung in the new Interior Department Building in Washington

Post Staff Photos.

Aid Symphony Drive

Frank Meloy, Betsy Winter and Joseph Shepherd, above, all members of the Cap and Gown Society at American University, are aiding the National Symphony campaign to raise funds. Shown at right, at report luncheon of the drive, is Milton W. King, of the orchestra board, receiving his pledge button from Mrs. S. P. Langhoff, jr., and Mrs. John Asher, members of the women's business committee of the drive

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Got Mother a Job

Three-year-old Jackie "Boots" Ferris paraded through Los Angeles streets with this sign, asking a job for his unemployed mother. His unique method and hopeful appeal were successful. Offers of jobs were pouring in yesterday and an overdue rent and grocery bill will soon be paid

Post Staff Photos.

Government 'Walkers' Test Navajo Rugs

Hundreds of feet, hurrying hungry Interior Department workers to lunch are testing the durability of Navajo rugs. Tests are conducted by the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Hazel Pierce and Russell (Not Big Chief) Prohet, above, hold a rug. At left pounding feet head toward the department lunchroom over a Navajo rug

Plan Holy Cross Alumnae Reunion

Mrs. Francis Murray, chairman, and Mrs. Raymond Harper, co-chairman of the reunion party for the Alumnae Association of Holy Cross Academy, are completing plans for the celebration, next Tuesday night at Dumbarton College of the Academy, 8 p. m. Arrangements were made at tea yesterday at Mayflower Hotel

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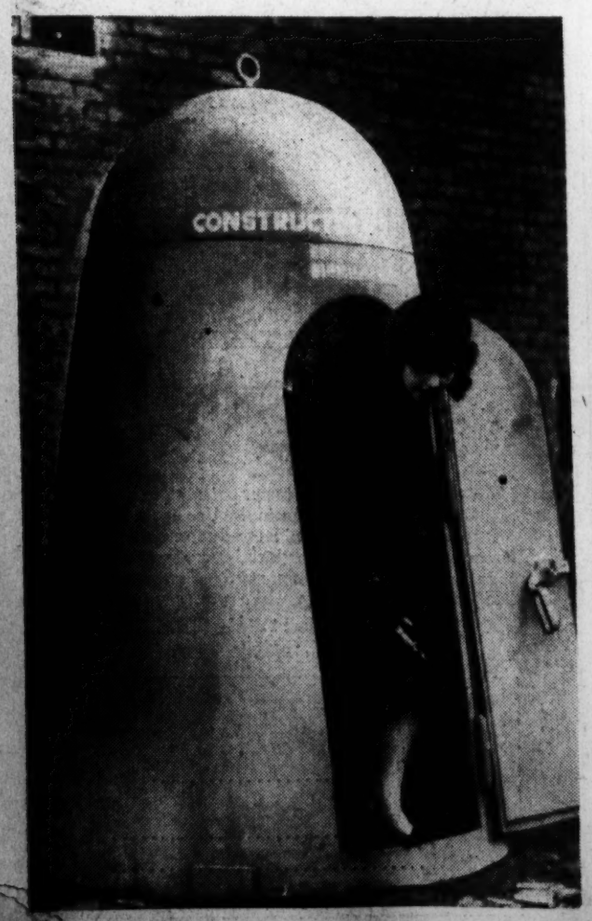
Like Any Father

Dennis Devine is the name of the youngest above. He is with his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Devine. The screen and radio comedian reflects the smile of any proud papa. Four-year-old Tad thinks the whole thing is too much fuss

Associated Press Photo

Arias From Capitol Steps

Singing a song, but not of sixpence, is Frederick Jagel, at left, Metropolitan Opera star, on the steps of the Nation's Capitol. He visited members of Congress yesterday and has as his audience Representative Frederick L. Crawford, of Michigan



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No, It's a Bomb Shelter

These durable steel shelters are common in Birmingham, England. They have been installed throughout the city as protection against possible air raids. The young lady is emerging after tests had been given to familiarize residents with the shelters

Md. Bill Asks Sharp Boost In Rum Tax

Strong Bloc Formed To Push Proposal; Seen Retaliation for Tobacco Levy Plan

By the Associated Press.

Annapolis, Feb. 17.—Liquor interests, already assailed by proposed Statewide Sunday closing, faced a new threat in the legislature today when a $1.50 per gallon tax on whiskey was proposed.

Rejection of three interim appointments made by former Gov. Harry W. Nice during his term of office constituted the only other major development in the legislative day.

Delegate Louis Goldstein (Democrat), Calvert; D. Floyd Brinsfield (Democrat), Dorchester, and Darwin B. Martin (Republican), Garrett, jointly introduced the measure which would boost the present $1.10 gallonage tax by 40 cents.

3 Blocs Formed

Introduction of the measure by delegates from the Eastern Shore, southern Maryland and western Maryland indicated a solidarity on the proposal that was disquieting to distillers.

The House Ways and Means Committee yesterday concluded a hearing on the Administration proposal to raise the gallonage tax to $1.25 a gallon, at which liquor interest spokesmen received a hearing for their plea that increased taxes on whiskey would drive the industry out of the State.

Delegate Goldstein said he had been considering the tax on liquor ever since new State revenues became a pressing State problem.

"I held off introducing the measure because I was hesitant about taxing a major industry of the State," Goldstein said, "however, other delegates had no such hesitancy about introducing a measure which would impose a heavy tax on southern Maryland tobacco, another major State industry.

Ired at Tobacco Plan

"But after the introduction of the cigarette sales tax measure, I figured Baltimore County whiskey interests could stand a sharp tax increase as well as the tobacco farmers of southern Maryland."

Delegate Paul O. Miles (Democrat), of Baltimore County, Wednesday introduced a proposal to tax cigarettes at 1 per cent for each ten cents or fraction of ten cents, retail price. The bill would result in a 2-cent tax on 15 cent cigarettes if passed.

The bombshell proposal to increase the liquor tax came when liberal liquor interests were congratulating themselves on thwarting the "bone dry Sunday" measure, passage of which was conceded when it was first introduced.

Gov. Herbert O'Conor flatly declared for the Sunday closure law, and Speaker Thomas E. Conlon of the House said he planned to exert his influence to obtain House approval of the measure.

Five of the six Senators in the Baltimore City delegation quickly aligned themselves against the measure, and marked opposition to the proposal to clamp down on all Sunday liquor sales developed in the House.

May Exempt D. C. Area

Senate leaders, in "off the record" discussion, said they would not oppose amendments exempting counties where opposition to the Sunday closure program was strong.

Delegates from Prince Georges, Calvert and Montgomery counties admitted they were under strong pressure from groups of constituents to oppose the Sunday closure program. Resort owners in the southern counties near Washington would be bankrupted if the proposal carried, they claimed. They depend on week-end business from Washington visitors to make expenses, the delegates reported.

Appointments of former Gov. Nice rejected by the Senate were Ralph H. Grier as a member of the State board of welfare; J. Yale Gordon, named justice of the peace, and Jesse S. Goodman, selected as a member of the board of the Eastern State Hospital.

Designation of J. Jerome Frampton as treasurer of the State board of funeral directors and embalmers was confirmed.

Holt Denies Intent To 'Discriminate' In Fair Exhibit

Staunton, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—A denial of intention to "discriminate" against any section of Virginia in preparing the State's World Fair exhibit has been made in a letter to the Staunton-Augusta Chamber of Commerce by Lieut.-Gov. Saxon W. Holt, chairman of Virginia's Fair Commission.

In the letter, Chariman Holt told James A. Payne, business manager of the chamber, he understood and agreed with the position taken by the organization, which protested with other groups the commission's invitation to Williamsburg to prepare an exhibit for the World's Fair Virginia room.

The chairman stated, however, that he felt to a certain extent that the chamber was not familiar with all the circumstances. He said a meeting would be held to permit all interested parties to express their views.

Winchester Chamber Seats New President

Winchester, Va., Feb. 17.—With Earl Valentine, Lexington, Va., business man and president of Shenandoah Valley, Inc., as principal speaker, the annual meeting of the Winchester Chamber of Commerce was held here tonight.

R. E. Buncutter, the retiring president, was toastmaster. During the program, which was attended by the membership of the Lions, Rotary and Kiwanis clubs, Charles P. McVicar, commissioner of revenue, was sworn in as the president for the ensuing year.

Life Begins at 70 - - - - -

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CHARLES H. HOSPITAL

Florist Resigns 32-Year Job, Starts Flower Shop of His Own

(This series is about men and women 70 or older who are finding that so-called "old age" is really a lot of fun. They still are producing and getting a big thrill out of their work or hobbies. You know some qualifiers. Tell us who they are.—Editor's note.)

By Gerald G. Gross.

Charles H. Hospital already had 32 years of experience as an amateur horticulturist when he retired last June from Woodward & Lothrop's, but you ought to see him now.

Today he has his own private greenhouse in the rear yard of his home at 3500 Fifteenth street northeast and he is going in for flower cultivation in a manner more serious than ever before. He had the greenhouse, a strictly modern number with every necessary device, erected in anticipation of the leisure which would come with retirement, and it is keeping him young.

Oddly enough, the man who proposed Hospital for this column is the one responsible for his becoming a flower hobbyist. He is Charles Fisk Tansill, but it was not he but his friend who brought that out.

Followed Instructions

Shortly after we moved into this house 32 years ago," said Hospital, "Mr. Tansill brought me some dahlia roots from his garden and suggested that I plant them. I didn't know a turnip from a begonia. But I took them and followed his instructions.

"They turned out well and the next year he gave me some more dahlia roots. That's how it all started."

From that dahlia nucleus has sprung one of the showplaces of Brookland. In the Hospital sun room conservatory yesterday bloomed dozens of geraniums, primroses, begonias and other potted plants. Until a few days ago he had a large display of poinsettias. Soon the calla lilies will be in flower.

Hundreds of Flowers

Out in the greenhouse were hundreds of begonias, petunias, cyclamen, amaryllis, primroses, geraniums, spirea and almost every other kind of flowering plant one can think of. In the yard are pansy beds, violet beds, Sweet William beds, peony beds, with a lily pond in the middle.

Hospital was asked what he did with all these flowers.

"I give them away to friends and hospitals," he replied. "Once my wife said, 'Charles, you ought to sell your flowers.' I pooh-poohed the idea so she asked if I would let her sell some and pocket the money. I gave my consent and the first season she made $50 and $100 the following year. Then I made her stop."

Never Missed a Day

Mrs. Hospital brought up the idea again recently, however, as a means of raising funds for the children's Bible class which she teaches. Her husband gave his approval and she will begin this spring. Incidentally the couple are the sole surviving members of the Brookland M. E. Church.

The former silk buyer pays no attention whatever to such trifling matters as age—he never missed a single day's work because of illness in his 50-year career at Woodward's—but for the sake of the record, he was born on March 8, 1867, in Georgetown, which means his 72d birthday is only a few weeks distant. He seldom wears a hat, even on cold days.

His ambition?

"To round out 50 years cultivating flowers," he replied. "Then I'll be ready to call a halt."

Death of Boy, 10, Brings Traffic Toll to 16 for 1939

The death yesterday in Freedmen's Hospital of a 10-year-old colored boy brought the District's 1939 traffic toll to 16, the same number as at this time last year.

The victim, Clayton Washington, of 4925 Dean avenue, was injured October 3 while crossing Dean avenue and Grant street northeast. The boy was struck by a car driven by Irving Jordan, 53, colored, of 413 U street northwest. Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald issued a certificate of accidental death.

Abraham L. Gerhardt, 78, of 3905 Baker street, Brentwood, Md., was taken to Sibley Hospital yesterday suffering from lacerations and a fractured right leg after he was struck by an automobile driven by Albert W. Petzold, 22, of 520 Edgewood street northeast, at Twelfth street and Michigan avenue northeast. Petzold was charged with reckless driving.

Coast Guard Saves 2 on Bay Ketch

Solomons Island, Md., Feb. 17 (AP).—Paxson C. Hayes, who identified himself as an archeologist and explorer, told today of drifting for two days in icy winds on Chesapeake Bay aboard the 50-foot ketch Vesta with her sails torn away and the motor disabled.

The boat was towed here yesterday by the Coast Guard cutter Calypso. Hayes, who said he discovered the remains of an ancient Mongoloid civilization in Sonora, Mexico, was accompanied on the Baltimore to Norfolk trip by Ernest Hoover.

Charles Town Girl, 20, Badly Hurt in Crash

Charles Town, W. Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—Pearl Ennis, 20, was in a hospital with serious head injuries today after an accident yesterday involving an automobile driven by Paul Hedges of Martinsburg. The girl, daughter of Alvin Ennis, of Charles Town, was with several other young people when the accident occurred.

Egger Takes Oath As Budget Head In New Setup

Richmond, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—Dr. Rowland A. Egger became director of the division of the State budget today at brief ceremonies in the office of the Governor.

Receiving his commission from Gov. Price, he was sworn in by Walker C. Cottrelll, clerk of the Richmond Circuit Court.

Dr. Egger leaves the position of director of the University of Virginia's bureau of public administration, and also the chair of political science to accept the State position.

Gov. Price said today the "whole idea" of the budget division plan, insofar as it concerns the Spelman Fund, which has agreed to contribute $45,000 toward its operation for an "experimental period," was "to make this exhibit No. 1 for the entire country."

The enlarged budget division along the lines contemplated will be the only one in the country attempting such a comprehensive program, the governor said.

Page Educators Plan Banquet

Luray, Va., Feb. 17.—The Page County Education Association will hold its second annual banquet here on St. Patrick's Day with Dr. Sidney B. Hall, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, as guest speaker, it was decided at a meeting of the association held in Stanley.

Superintendent Cecil Graves addressed the group and spoke of the crowded conditions in county schools. He declared some schools even use halls and auditorium stages for classrooms.

New City Head Named

Crewe, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—H. H. McCanna, of Richmond, was named town manager of Crewe yesterday by the town council. He will take office March 1, filling a vacancy caused by the death of W. P. Taylor.

$100,000 Blaze Laid To Grudge

Hagerstown Man, 23, Confesses Setting Lodge Afire; Blames Eviction 2 Years Ago

By the Associated Press.

Hagerstown, Md., Feb. 17.—A grudge nurtured for two years apparently led to the setting of the $100,000 fire which destroyed the Odd Fellows Temple and damaged two apartment houses, Detective Capt. William Peters said today.

Peters said a 23-year-old man confessed he set the fire because a member of the lodge put him out of a dance at the temple two years ago. Recently, Peters quoted the youth as saying, the man barred him from another dance.

Arthur Miner, of Leitersburg, was arrested as he stood near a fire-alarm box, after a false alarm had been turned in early this morning. While police were questioning him about the false alarm, Peters said, Miner volunteered the statement he started the temple fire early Sunday.

Authorities at first doubted the confession but later the State's Attorney said he would present the case to the grand jury at once.

Police Capt. Carl H. McCleary said Miner later signed a written confession embodying the same admissions he made orally to Peters. McCleary also announced his plans to question the youth about a series of incendiary fires in York, Pa., 60 miles away.

An alert telephone operator, Miss Ola Kearfoot, was credited by police with furnishing the clew that led to Miner's arrest. Miss Kearfoot, returning from bowling, was about to enter her home, when a fire alarm was turned in at a nearby corner box. A few moments later a man dashed past her.

Shortly afterward the police arrived and she told them of her suspicions and gave them an accurate description which led a few moments later in Miner being picked up as a suspect.

Brotherhood Week Program Is Listed In Charlottesville

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Charlottesville, Va., Feb. 17.—Plans were announced today for a widespread local observance, on February 19-26, of Brotherhood Week, which President Roosevelt has designated for commemoration of the 150th anniversary of the signing and the ratification of the Constitution. The program is as follows:

Feb. 19—Vesper service at 5 o'clock at the First Methodist Church. Speaker, Rabbi Edward N. Calisch, of Richmond.

Feb. 20—Kiwanis luncheon. Speakers, Father J. Eliot Ross, Rabbi Edward N. Calisch and the Rev. D. D. Hoit.

Feb. 24—World day of prayer. Women's section, 3:30 to 5 p. m., First Baptist Church; youth section, 7 to 8 p. m., Christ Episcopal Church.

Feb. 26.—Youth mass meeting, 3:30 p.m., Madison Hall, at the university, sponsored by the Interdenomination Council. Speakers, Joe Strausse, Catholic Church; Newman Coin, Jewish; Howard Newman, Protestant.

Officials Run Federal 'Agency' As Science Stunt

More than 100 Government officials last night played at running a nonexistent Federal agency, the "Urban Security Administration."

It was all in the interest of science at the regular monthly meeting of the Washington Chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management, held in the Y. W. C. A.

Acting as "chairman of the board" for the night, C. B. Upham, first deputy comptroller of the currency, served as umpire between the conflicting points of view of administrator and budget officer.

James Bennett, chief of the Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, speaking as an administrator, praised the corporate type of set-up in new agencies. Acknowledging sound organization in many agencies, W. A. Jump, director of finance in the Department of Agriculture, said management has not been given the recognition it deserves by the Government.

'Cathedral Day' Set Tomorrow

Many Episcopal parishes throughout the country will remember the National Cathedral Association tomorrow at their altars in observance of the custom whereby the Sunday nearest George Washington's Birthday is recognized as Washington Cathedral Sunday. Prayers for the building and maintenance of the cathedral will be offered; sermons will refer to the spiritual ideals of the founders, and worshipers will make voluntary offerings.

The Cathedral itself will celebrate this anniversary with the Very Rev. Noble C. Powell, D. D., preaching at people's evensong at 4 o'clock tomorrow and Canon Edward S. Dunlap delivering the sermon at 11 a. m.

Miss Cotten Wed To R. T. Eggleston

Friends were informed yesterday that Miss Bonnie Ruth Cotten, of the Wage Hour Administration, and Robert Tyler Eggleston, secretary of Representative Dan R. McGehee, of the seventh Mississippi district, were married in Manassas, Va., February 4, by the Rev. John M. DeChant.

Mrs. Eggleston is a sister of Felix Cotten, of The Washington Post staff.

Phi Kappa Psi Celebrates Founders' Day

Post Staff Photo.

Columbia Country Club was the scene last night of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity's founders day dinner. Among those who attended were, left to right, Frank Miller, B. L. Martz, toastmaster, Representative Joseph Byrnes, James, James K. Pace, president, and Leslie J. Reardon. Associate Justice Pierce Butler, of the Supreme Court, was guest of honor

Nazis Feared Steadfast Pope, Says Fr. Walsh

Fierceness of Attacks Betrayed Weakness, G. U. Head Ayers

"Indecent attack" on Pope Pius XI, published in the azi press, reveal dictatorships see themselves threatened by the principles espoused by the late Pontiff, Dr. Edmund A. Walsh, vice president of Georgetown University, declared last night.

Pope Pius fought steadfastly, Dr. Walsh said, for the doctrine that "no state, no government, no potentate is placed so high as to be beyond the reach of natural and Divine law."

He charged that the Reich's fear of this "ancient verity" explains the "arrogant diatribe" against the Holy Father in Hitler's personal organ, the Voelkischer Beobachter, the day after the Pope's death; the "spiteful and sneering editorial from the same neurotic source," Dr. Goebbel's paper, Der Angriff, and the "lecture" to the College of Cardinals by the German Ambassador to the Vatican, demanding election of a new Pape sympathetic to the azi regime.

Retort to Insolence

Dr. Walsh deferred discussion of the Munch pact, originally scheduled for last night, to deliver his retort to azi "insolence," which he described as the single exception to "the universal respect and approbation manifested for the memory of Pius XI."

An audience of 1,500 in Memorial Continental Hall heard the cleric inaugurate his fifteenth annual series of public lectures.

The crucial failure of European statesmanship, Dr. Walsh contended, occurred from 1922 to 1924 when the Great Powers refused to heed the Pope's "prophetic warning" of the danger to religion, family life and all human dignity inherent in the policies of Soviet Russia.

Pope Stood Firm

Russian Communism, tolerated by other states, "provoked violent reaction from the Right," he said. "Exaggerated nationalism replied to the insolent internationalism of the Komintern, and a highly centralized state control over the individual was contrived by the Right to combat the collectivized enemy from the Left."

In his relations with both Soviet and Nazi Germany, Pope Pius XI "simply stood firm and consistent against all and any invasion of conscience, against denial of natural right, against tyranny of the State over individuals, over family life and over its natural social evolution," Dr. Walsh concluded.

State Aide, Found Dead In Auto, Called Suicide

Chase, Md., Feb. 17 (AP).—Coroner Joseph Gomeringer gave a verdict of suicide today in the death of J. Banks Bartholow, whose body was found in an automobile belonging to the State comptroller's office.

A woman taking her child to school discovered the body, and police said a hose led from the exhaust pipe into the car.

The comptroller's office said he had been sent to Belair last Monday to consult with the State's attorney there.

Judge Hits Curbs On Administrative Agencies of U. S.

New Deal administrative agencies must be allowed to "work out their own destinies" with discretionary powers "unfettered by laws," Judge John J. Burns, former Securities and Exchange Commission counsel, declared last night at Catholic University.

In the concluding law lecture of the university's golden jubilee series, Judge Burns asserted: "I would look with great caution upon laws which would fetter the discretion" of our administrative agencies.

Burns said he favored application of "general judicial review" rather than imposing laws specifically enumerating the agencies powers. "Success or failure of the agencies depends on the character of the administrators, rather than the quality of the laws," he said.

City News In Brief

Andy, Steve Ill

Two of Washington's busiest corners lost most of their individuality yesterday.

The reason was that both "Andy Gump," who sells papers at the corner of Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue, and Steve Vasilakos, the White House peanut vendor, were kept home by illness.

"Andy," whose real name is J. P. Muth, was at his home at 223 H street northeast with an ailing leg. Employes of the Patterson Hotel, 1732 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, where Steve lives, said he was suffering from grippe.

Alley Loan Slated

The United States Housing Authority yesterday certified payment to the Alley Dwelling Authority of $462,000, second installment on the USHA $6,600,000 loan to the local agency.

The ADA has now received a total of $608,000 for land purchase and preliminary expenses in setting up its large-scale slum clearance program.

WPA to Require Citizenship Proof

Richmond, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—William A. Smith, State works progress administrator, said today all WPA employes in Virginia would be required to make an affidavit of American citizenship before March 6 or be dropped from the pay rolls.

The new eligibility requirement for WPA employment is in compliance with an amendment to Section 2 of the emergency relief appropriation act of 1938, Smith explained.

Smith said the Virginia WPA pay roll as of February 1 carried 28,472 persons.

Hospital Bids Opened

Charlottesville, Feb. 17 (AP).—Low bids were submitted on 15 contracts yesterday for equipment for the new $150,000 addition to the University Hospital to be used for mental patients. The bids were forwarded on to PWA headquarters in Atlanta for approval.

Father-Son Banquet Held By Lutherans

Gratz Dunkum Calls Religion, Morality Pillars of Civilization

Religion and morality are the twin pillars of civilization, Gratz Dunkum, of the District Board of Education, said last night at Atonement Lutheran Church's fifth annual father and son banquet.

Staged in the parish hall at Rhode Island avenue and North Capitol street, the function—largest of its kind in the history of the parish—drew more than 200 men and boys, including many uniformed lads of Scout Troop 70.

Louis Barr, scoutmaster, received a tremendous ovation from his boys when introduced by the Rev. Howard E. Snyder, pastor, who also spoke in praise of Edward Volland. On behalf of the vestry and congregation, the latter was presented with a written testimonial, in recognition of 33 years' service to Atonement.

A sports quiz between fathers and sons, directed by Dr. James B. Faris, prominent in dental and sports circles, was another feature of the dinner, for which music was furnished by A. T. Campbell, vocalist; Miss Helen Koontz and a string orchestra.

Charles R. Kline, five months old and John B. Nye, 82, were the youngest son and oldest father present.

Martin A. McGrory, president of the Maryland Synodical Brotherhood, and prominent Atonement churchman, presided. Fred E. Gross, president of the men's club of the parish, was general chairman. Women of the congregation arranged the meal.

Other committeemen were Dr. James B. Faris, Roy D. Borden, Charles R. Kline, Richard E. Entenmen James Solt, James W. McDonald, Leo A. Riegel and Lloyd E. Wolfe.

Va. Restricts Milk Dealer Advertising

Board's New Rules Limit Distributors' Publicity by Radio, Place of Business

By the Associated Press.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 17.—New regulations restricting the advertising of their products by milk distributors in the place of business of a customer, or in conjunction with a customer over the radio, were announced today by the State Milk Commission.

The revisions were promulgated under the "fair practice" regulators powers of the commission. Violations will make distributors liable for revocation of their licenses.

They specifically prohibit distributors from engaging in paid advertising in "any manner in any place of business of a milk customer," and from joining a customer in any radio program in which milk or other commodity of the distributor is advertised."

The 'place of business" restriction was ordered in an effort to eleminate forms of advertising which the commission found were, in some instances, serving as a concession or discount to the customer, such as a store or confectionery operator.

The regulation would not affect free advertising or such advertising as that in newspapers or circulars.

Other new regulations, all of which become effective March 1, prohibit distributors:

From providing a customer with "any article of any character for use in handling milk or other commodity except the cream sold by the distributor, or use of Neon signs, either by sale, lease, gift or loan";

From entering into agreements with anyone to distribute prizes or premiums to customers;

From entering into a contract with a customer "buying or handling his milk or other commodity without first having obtained the written consent of the milk commission."

Survey to Start Of Hagerstown's School Courses

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Hagerstown, Feb. 17.—The Hagerstown High School has been selected for a survey by specialists from the Washington Bureau of the Co-operative Study of Secondary School Standards. The purpose of the survey is to determine whether the local school is offering courses of study that meet the needs of the community and whether the courses offered train the student in such a way that he or she fits into the general scheme of the community.

The survey will be started this spring. Eventually, similar surveys will be made in high schools throughout the State.

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PICARD ADDS 69 TO LEAD IN PRO FIELD

Hershey Ace In Front by Single Stroke

Thompson, Harper Tied for Second at New Orleans; 67 by Nettlebladt Standout

By the United Press.

New Orleans, Feb. 17.—Swinging with the precision of an automaton, Henry Picard, of Hershey, Pa., today went straight down the fairways to card a 69 in the second round of the $10,000 Crescent City Open and take the lead with an aggregate 141.

A stroke behind the Pennsylvania professional were Jimmie Thomson, of Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa., and Chandler Harper, of Portsmouth, Va., with 142s for the rounds.

Harry Nettlebladt, a framingham, Mass., pro who hadn't been in a tournament since last summer, shot the best game of the day. He carded a 67, with six birdies, to tie the course record and split third-place honors with Ralph Guldahl, Madison, N. J., with 143s. Guldahl today shot 71. Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill., and Sammy Byrd, Philadelphia, set the course record last year.

inks ix Birdies

Picard never was in difficulty, scoring a 3-below-par 69. On his first nine, he sank six firdies, went one over on two holes and parred one.

Picard's Card:
Out .....344-434-443—33
In .....443-444-445—36—69—141

Nettlebladt's card:
Out .....343-445-434—35
In .....434-343-434—32—67—143

In contrast to yesterday, weather today became favorable for golf. Temperatures rose, the soggy course began drying out and a biting wind softened to a mild breeze.

Other scores ranged from two strokes above the five leaders.

Leo Walper, of Washington, D. C., finished the second round with a 40-39—79 and a 36-hole total of 155.

"I just couldn't get going. It seemed," said Walper. "I missed a lot of greens, knocked a ball in the water at the third hole and I'll bet I had five putts hang right on the cups."

Snead Gets 145

"Sling'" Sammy Snead, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., and Lloyd Mangrum, Los Angeles, had an aggregate 145. Ed Dudley, Philadelphia, the only man to trim par yesterday with a 70, was down to a 146, along with Revolta. Dick Metz, Chicago, and Byron Nelson, Reading, Pa., had 147's, as did Harry Cooper, of Chicago, winner of last year's top money.

Ky Lafoon, of Chicago, had 148 and Sammy Byrd 149. Denny Shute, Coral Gables, Fla., and Jimmy Demaret, Houston, Tex., finished with 150's.

E. J. (Dutch) Harrison, who took top money in last week's Texas Open, carded a 81 and a 36 today for an aggregate 152.

Ray Brown, of Little Rock, Ark., a youngster entering his first tournament on a staked entry fee, had 166. Henry Castillo, Baton Rouge, La., lowest of the amateurs, scored 151. Play tomorrow sifts down to the low 80 pros and 10 amateurs.

Roanoke 4 Wins Removed From Bid To Garden Tourney

Richmond, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—Coach Gordon (Pap) White said tonight his Roanoke College basketball team was assured an invitation to the National Invitational Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament at Madison Square Garden March 13-18 if the Maroons won the last four games on their schedule.

Coach White said an official of the tournament sponsored by the New York Basketball Writers Association and Ned Irish, of the Garden, had advised him an invitation would be forthcomong if the final games on the schedule were won.

The Maroons have to play the University of Richmond, Concord, Marshall and Randolph-Macon to complete th eseason.

Marion Miley Wins, Up, in Florida Golf

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 17 (U.P.).—Marion Miley, defending champion from Lexington, Ky., today was forced to the twentieth hole before she downed Mrs. Leon Solomon, Memphis (Tenn.) veteran, 1 up, in semi-finals of the Mid-Florida Women's Golf Tournament.

The tournament medalist, Shirley Ann Johnson, of Chicago, had easy sailing, defeating Mrs. Jackie Fuller, Orlando, 6 and 5.

Martinsburg Wins

Martinsburg, W. Va., Feb. 17.—For the second time in as many evenings, Martinsburg High's Bulldogs furnished local fans with a rip-roaring brand of cage entertainment as they rallied magnificently in the final period of the game to deadlock Waynesboro (Pa.) High, 23-23, then drum the Tornado off the floor in an extra canto to win, 29-24.

Two Nat Rookie Pitchers Sure of Jobs

Krakauskas, Chase Ready, Harris Feels

18 Others Doubtful As Pilot Determines Status of Youngsters Ortiz Possible Prize

By Shirley Povich.
A Staff Correspondent.

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 17.—Pending the rattle of base hits when the exhibition games start, Manager Bucky Harris has already determined the status of the 20 rookie pitchers in the Nats' camp here in the Orange Belt. After two weeks of intensive scrutiny, the Nats' manager has tentatively diverted his pitching talent into four classes.

We can call them, in absence of better descriptive (1) the sure shots, (2) the prize hopefuls, (3) the come againsts, and (4) the impossibles.

In group No. 1 are the only two pitchers in camp who saw service with the Nats last year. For Joe Krakauskas and Ken Chase, the pair of fast-balling left-handers, Harris is reserving special hopes. He has worked patiently on their control in the drills here and foresees them as the No. 1 and No. 2 pitchers of his 1939 staff.

The prize hopefuls number three. They are the young men who are causing Harris to pinch himself to make certain they are real. They are a trio of hard ball pitchers who have been the sensations of the camp thus far. They are Roberto Ortiz, the giant Cuban tyro; 18-year-old Walter Masterson, former Philadelphia sandlotter, and Tom Baker, received from the Giants in the Bonura deal.

Ortiz Highly Regarded

So intrigued is Harris with the possibilities of Ortiz that he is taking every pains to teach him how to pitch. Fantastic as it may seem that a Cuban who never pitched before until two weeks ago could stick with a big league club, Harris is convinced that there is a good chance. He visions Ortiz's fast ball as the scourge of the league if the Cuban learns pitching technique.

Masterson and Baker similarly rate as Harris' pets. Masterson, a 6-foot right-hander not yet matured, has displayed all of the actions of a big leaguer. Two months of traveling with the Nats as a nonplaying rookie last year brought him polish. His fast ball is alive. Baker's flaw has been his wildness. But at Jersey City last year he won five of his last six starts. His fast ball is rated with that of Masterson's.

Group 3—Joe Haynes, Bucky Jacobs, Forrest Brewer, Joe Lewis, Bob Garner, Arnold Anderson, Early Wynn. They are the lads who are getting valuable experience here. They are a year or two or three away from the majors. They will be back again for another tryout after being farmed out.

Of the lot, Haynes, a 6-foot 2-inch right-hander who won 18 and lost 9 with Charlotte last year, is the likeliest to win a job with the Nats this year. Despite his physique, fast-balling is not his forte. He throws a curve and has poise and control. In the Piedmont play-off series he won five straight games for Charlotte.

Jacobs Lacks Speed

Young Jacobs, Charlotte's leading pitcher in 1938, is handicapped by lack of a fast ball. Garner, a 6-foot 7-inch giant, has "action," but is attempting the long hop from the Eastern Shore League. Anderson, a 205-pounder, distinctly has possibilities. So has Early Wynn. Brewer, winner of 25 games at St. Augustine and author of two no-hitters, may develop a fast ball that will bring him back to the Nats. Young Joe Lewis, the 16-year-old Eastern High boy, is in Harris' book as a lad who can't miss after minor league experience.

Bluntly, group four doesn't appear to have what it takes. Harris will be mightily surprised, although no little pleased, if any of 'em pans out. This group includes the rawest of the rookies—Kirby Hayes, a southpaw; Overstreet and Brumbaugh, right handers; Holland, a southpaw; Lefty Stockwell and Joe Gross. They appear to be down here for the ride.

Harris may be forced to revise his estimates when the exhibition games begin and the lads are tested under fire. But at this writing the foregoing is the situation.

Columbus U. Boxers Beat Vols Here, 6-2

Scoring three knockouts en route, Columbus University's potent boxing team chalked up its third consecutive victory of the season last night at Turner's Arena, defeating the University of Tennessee by the convincing margin of 6-2. Some 1,500 fans witnessed the bouts.

One of the best matches fought at the Arena this winter, Tennessee offered the host club more resistence than the final schore indicates, and finished with a knockout for its side of the ledger. The visitors forfeited in the 175-pound class when Woodruff was unable to make the weight.

Leo Marcopulis, 127-pounder; Buddy Lazear, 145-pounder, and Bert Parod, 155-pounder, accounted for Columbus' knockouts, although opponents of the latter two were still on their feet when their coach, Murray Warmath, wisely ordered the bout halted. Ed Knowling, Lazear's opponent, was particularly durable, standnig up under his widely publicized opponent's most dangerous shots with suffering serious damage.

Phil Appel, of Columbus, and Jimmy Love got the proceedings off to a fiery start with a bruising slugfest that found both completely exhausted at the finish. Appel, scoring frequently to the face, won the decision by virtue of a third-round knockdown. The blow decided the issue, which otherwise might have been a draw.

Henry Wood rallied in the final round of his engagement with Ernie Silva, Columbus entry, to win a unanimous decision. It was another gruelling battle with bout stumbling around at the finish, but Silva obviously in the worst condition as a result of absorbing too many blows on the head.

120-POUND CLASS—Appel (C) defeated Love.

127-POUND CLASS—Marcopolus (C) knocked out Hatfield (20 seconds of second round).

135-POUND CLASS—Wood (T) defeated Silva.

145-POUND CLASS—Lazear (C) defeated Knowling (t. k. o., end of second round).

155-POUND CLASS—Parod (C) knocked out Kinser (1 minute 12 seconds, second round).

165-POUND CLASS—Crum (C) defeated Martin.

175-POUND CLASS—Brown (C) won by forfeit.

HEAVYWEIGHT—Molinski (T) knocked out Keady (55 seconds, third round).

G.W. High Five Beaten, 28-15, By Teejays

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 17.—Making good on 14 out of 25 attempts from tre foul line, Thomas Jefferson High School courtmen dropped George Washington High, of Alexandria, into second place in the central district standings of the Virginia Class A. Conference here tonight, drubbing the Alexandrians, 28 to 15. The setback snapped the Alexandrians' winning streak at six straight games.

By virtue of the victory the Teejays climbed into a first-place tie alongside Petersburg High, but the Presidents will have opportunity to make it a triple deadlock tomorrow night, when they engage Petersburg on the latter's home floor.

George Washington started fast, and ran up a 6-1 lead on the hosts in the first period, but the Teejays rallied and forged out in front, 7-6, midway of the second stanza. The Presidents regained the lead and then lost it to trail at the half, 9-8.

The President's offensive went completely to pieces in the third quarter, when Referee Wharton began to call fouls with amazing rapidity, and in the latter stages of the contest the hosts turned the close game into a rout. Of the 25 fouls called on the Presidents, 22 were imposed in the second half, and three G. W. players were forced out on personals before the final whistle sounded.

Jefferson.	G	FG	P	G. W. High.	G	FG	P
Hooker,f.	4	3	11	Poyne,f.	1	0	2
Johnson,f.	2	7	11	Clift,f.	1	0	2
Thiswaite,c.	0	0	0	Scott,f.	0	0	0
Parker,c.	0	1	1	Taylor,f.	0	0	0
Crooks,g.	0	0	0	Newland,c.	2	0	4
Ransom,g.	0	1	1	Heflin,g.	1	2	4
Scott,g.	1	2	4	Snyder,g.	1	1	3
				Warden,g.	0	0	0
Totals	7	14	28	Totals	6	3	15

Referee—Wharton.

Charles Town Five Bows to Blair, 53-14

Basketeers of the Montgomery-Blair High took their second victory in two days last night by downing the Charles Town (W. Va.) High five, 53-14. Norris, Kelly and Ballard did the bulk of the scoring for the winners while the visitors were held to not more than one field goal to a man. Montgomery led by 32-5 at the half.

Mt. Blair.	G	FG	P	Chas. Town.	G	FG	P
Norris,f.	5	3	13	Brown,f.	1	0	2
Sheterly,f.	1	0	2	Leeman,f.	0	2	2
McKay,f.	3	0	6	Magha,f.	1	1	3
Kelly,f.	7	0	14	Whitmore,f.	0	0	0
Fitzpatrick,c	1	1	3	O'Bannon,c.	1	1	3
Ballard,c.	5	0	10	Janney,g.	1	0	2
Mason,g.	1	0	2	Reininger,g.	0	1	1
Tabbut,g.	0	1	1	Barr,g.	0	0	0
Bacon,g.	0	0	0	Morrison,g.	0	0	0
King,g.	1	0	2	Russell,g.	0	0	0
Skinner,g.	0	0	0				
Totals	24	5	53	Totals	4	6	14

Referee—Siviguy.

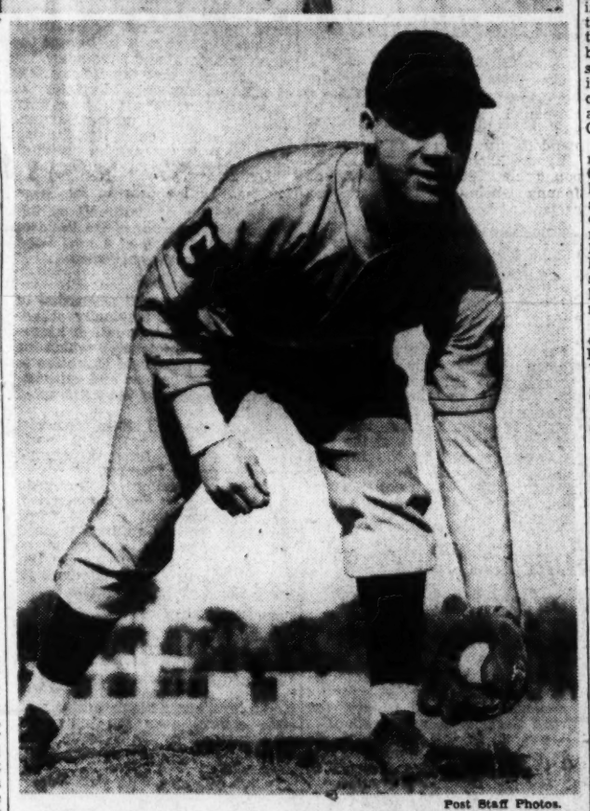
Capper Will Still Fight D.C. Race Bill

Washington's annual race track controversy reached the second lap yesterday when opponents of legalized racing in the District said they would raise their "usual objections" to the bill introduced Thursday by Senator Reynolds (Democrat), of North Carolina.

"It would be a crime to force such a measure on people of Washington, just when other cities are getting rid of their tracks," Senator Capper (Republican), of Kansas, who has been on the Senate District Committee for 21 years, declared.

Senator Capper killed a bill proposed by Reynolds in 1937 to legalize horse racing and pari-mutuel betting in the District. The House of Representatives dealt the blow last year. This time, however, the North Carolinian declared, the measure has been designed to conform to Maryland racing regulations and "should get by."

Triple Play: Harris to Estalella to Ortiz



Post Staff Photos.

At top, Bobby Estalella (center) doubles as interpreter in Spanish for Bucky Harris at Nats' training camp at Orlando. Estalella is pictured relaying with speech and gestures the instructions of Harris (right) to Roberto Ortiz, Cuban pitcher, who talks no English. Below is Mike Green, 18-year-old Montana lad who is being sponsored by Senator Burton K. Wheeler in a tryout for an infield job with the Nats at Orlando. Young Green is an infielder

Hale, Redskin Draftee, Signs As Grid Coach

All-American Tackle Accepts Position At Texas School

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Kilgore, Tex., Feb. 17.—I. B. Hale, All-America tackle and co-captain of Texas Christian's 1938 undefeated football team, today signed a one-year contract to coach the Kilgore High School Bulldogs.

Earlier in the week Hale, considered one of th egreatest linemen ever developed in the Southwest, announced he had rejected an offer from Coach Ray Flaherty to play with the Washington Redskins. Flaherty, it was reported, offered Hale $2,500 for the season, and the big fellow quickly decided it would be mor eprofitable to remain in Texas.

Hal ewill replace Bob Waters, who resigned as Kilgore coach at the end of last season after the team finished last in their league.

Hale's signing apparently lends credence to statements issued by two other Texas stars that they had refused to sign with the Washington club. Dick Todd and Roy Young, both of Texas A. and M., the former a great broken field runner, told Flaherty the Redskin offer was not attractive enough to induce them to sign. Young played with the Redskins last season at tackle, but Todd will not graduate until June.

General Manager Jack Espey, of the Redskins, last night discounted published reports that the club was having difficulty signing talent for the 1939 season. He pointed out that many players announced they would not play pro football for the sake of publicity and that the club would not b epressed for talent when the team begins training next summer.

Leesburg Boys, Girls Win From Manassas

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Leesburg, Va., Feb. 17.—Leesburg High School boys and girls tonight scored a double-header basketball victory over representatives of Manassas High, the boys winning, 36-19, and the girls, 19-9.

Stan Green was the Leesburg star of the boys game, scoring 20 points on eight field goals and four fouls.

Nellie Adrian scored nine points to pace the Leesburg girls, but shared honors with Jane Veeton who scored the same number, or all of the losers' points.

Leesburg.	G	FG	P	Manassas.	G	FG	P
Green,f.	8	4	20	Byrd,f.	1	0	2
McKinney,f.	3	0	6	Curtin,f.	3	1	7
Heflin,f.	1	0	2	Miller,f.	1	3	5
Tartin,c.	2	0	4	Wells,g.	2	1	5
J.McKinney,g	0	0	0	Roseberry,g.	0	0	0
Loy,g.	1	0	2				
Kincaid,g.	0	1	1	Totals	7	5	19
Kephart,g.	0	1	1				
Totals	15	6	36				

Kendall School Beats S. C. School for Deaf

Kendall School for the Deaf defeated South Carolina School for the Deaf 53-31 yesterday, in a basketball game at the local gym.

Jose Berrios, of Kendall, was the game's high scorer with 22 points.

Kendall.	G	FG	P	So. Carolina.	G	FG	P
Berrios,f.	10	2	22	Smith,f.	3	0	6
Rabbitt,f.	2	1	5	Gibson,f.	1	0	2
Murphy,c.	4	2	10	Oliver,f.	1	0	2
Davidson,g.	0	0	0	Harden,c.	2	1	5
Berrios,g.	2	0	4	Reeves,g.	2	1	5
Adams,g.	0	0	0	Tollock,g.	1	1	3
Corman,g.	4	0	8	Likes,g.	0	0	0
Dye,g.	2	0	4	Benton,g.	4	1	9
Totals	24	5	53	Totals	14	3	31

Postscripts . . .

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 17.—The Nats could win the American League pennant for weight lifting this season . . . a few of the strong-back boys are Joe Krakauskas, 204 pounds; Arnold Abderson, 205; Robert Garber, 6 foot 7, and 210, and Roberto Ortiz, 205 . . . Bucky Harris has learned two words of Spanish from his attempts to teach the Cuban Ortiz how to pitch . . . he was told early in the proceedings that the Spanish word for "yes" was "si" . . . and for two days sought unsuccessfully to learn the Spanish for "no" . . . being slightly embarrassed when he learned eventually that the Spanish for "no" was, of all things, "no" . . . word that the Chicago Cubs ha dsigned Earl Whitehill who was released this week by the Indians, remonds us that the Cubs now have three ex-Nats—Whitehill, Jack Russell and Carl Reynolds . . . and leads us to suggest that the Cubs are trying to win the 1939 National League pennant with the team that won the American League pennant for Washington in 1933 . . . the Washington Club must post a bond of $500 with the Labor Department for each Cuban ball player imported . . . thus guaranteeing that the Cubans will not become public charges . . . Clark Griffice, who is entitled to choose three graduates from Joe Stripp's baseball school here, did not take any . . . because he saw none worth while signing . . . Bucky Harris continues to sign the praises of Joe Lewis, the 16-year-old Eastern High School lad at the Nats' camp . . . "I wish I had his baseball future," says Harris, who visions Lewis as being only two years away from the big leagues . . . Harris has received reports that Outfielder Taft Wright is vastly overweight and will order him into training early . . . Owner Griffith has an iron-clad rule this season that no ball players may live outside the Nats' hotel, thus breaking up the custom of family men on the team who were in the habit of hiring Orlando bungalows.—POVICH.

Sisler's Son, 18, Signed by Cards

St. Louis, Feb. 17 (AP).—Peerless George Sisler's son, Dick, who batted .587 in prep school competition and .483 in Municipal League play last year, signed with the St. Louis Cardinals today.

The 18-year-old youth who, like "pop," is at home on the pitcher's mound and at first base, will report to the Cardinals' training camp March 2. His usual position, however, is third base, and he also plays the outfield.

Vice President Branch Rickey, who obtained young Sisler's signature, launched the elder Sisler on his spectacular career in 1916. Rickey then was manager of the St. Louis Browns.

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 17.—Break up the Yankees.

That's the title of a 2,000 word tirade against the domination of the big league baseball scene by the New York Club. In this week's issue of Collier's, Gordon Cobbledick, Cleveland baseball writer, vigorously assails the Yankee system, pictures it as a constricting Garrot about the neck of organized baseball and demands that something be done about it.

POVICH.

Cobbledick points with alarm at the fact that the Yankees have won the last three American League pennants and the last three World Series. He describes the sense of futility among American League managers who approach another campaign against the Yankee powerhouse. He rants at the Yankee wealth that enables Yankee managers to outbid any rivals for minor league talent. He points to the octopus-like Yankee farm system reaching into the high and low minors and plucking young stars in an inescapable drag-net.

Yankee domination is killing off competition and throttling the game, to hear him tell it. Baseball is being blighted by the monopolistic methods of the New York concern. But Cobbledick is not merely carping. He follows through with recommendations for a remedy. He points out how the Yankee menace might be alleviated to the great good of baseball in general. He has a plan.

Page the Dies Committee

He would create a commission to draft a list of 1,000 prospective big leaguers from the minors and amateur ranks and put them in a pool. The teams finishing last in each major league would have first choice at the new talent. In the inverted order of the finish. The clubs would pick players with the pennant winners having last choices. Players would be bought at a price to be fixed by the commission and minor leagues. The Yankees would be forced to take their chances with new talent and their monopoly broken.

For sheer inanity it would be a prize plan. It would certainly break up the Yankees, but it would also break up baseball. The game was founded on and endured because of the individualism of clube owners. And getting the minors to agree to a fixed price for their talent is a swell idea—like belling the cat. It can't be done. Imagine a minor league club owner agreeing to sell a prize rookie in whom the Yankees were interested, to the St. Louis Browns.

Cobbie might have gone farther in his plan for Communist baseball. It certainly would amount to collectivism. At the end of the season we might have a purge of unsuccessfull managers instead of mere dismissal. The hapless shortstop who fuffed an important grounder could be declared guilty of sabotage and marched to the firing squad, after a secret trial in which he confessed.

Commisar Landis would be the boss, and they wouldn't have to proceed any farther with that Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N. Y. Babe Ruth, Ty Cobb and Walter Johnson, on their demise, would simply be removed to the kremlin. If Commisar Landis' favorite team was having difficulty reaching base against such as Gomez and Ruffing, there would be a way. They could get on base by mass parachute jumps. Scratch Cobbledick's plan and you find a tartar.

Capitalist Baseball a Success

Capitalist baseball has been pretty good baseball. Babe Ruth was able to make $80,000 a year out of it. He didn't have to work on a collectivism basis. And that $80,000 salary of his was a boon, too, to every other ball player in the land. Club owners were forced to think in higher wages. Salaries all down the line were stepped up.

Why break up the Yankees anyway? I doubt seriously if they are such a menace. They win pennants, sure, but they are not exactly killing off baseball in interest. Attendance has been steadily mounting during the three years the Yankees have been winning world championships. More players are drawing better than $30,000 salaries than at any time in history. As far as working conditions, playing conditions and wages go, the Yankees are benevolent tyrants. They have brought the game up with themselves.

Breaking up the Yankees isn't the American way, anyway. There would be scant credit in beating a Yankee team that was populated with players acquired in the luck of the draw. It would be hollow stuff. No, there is more fun trying to beat the real Yankees.

Analyzed, the Yankees are not unbeatable. In fact, they were beaten 50-odd time last year in their 154-game schedule. Certainly they won the pennant by 9½ games but there were times when they could be had. On occasion, the Browns and the Athletics whipped 'em badly. That's one of the charms of baseball. The lowly club can rise up and smite the champion and make him like it.

The Same Old Story

We heard the same talk about breaking up the Yankees in 1927. They had just won two pennants. They had Babe Ruth and Lou Gehrig, and Combs and Dugan and Meusel and Hoyt and Bush and Shawkey and Lazzeri and Pipgras and Wilcey Moore. They had won two world series in four straight games. They were being called the best team in all baseball history. And they won the pennant in 1928, too. And then what happened? During the next seven years that great incomparable, uncomparalleled Yankee team could win only one pennant. The A's slapped 'em down in 1929-1930-1931, and there was talk of breaking up the A's. But Connie Mack's club hasn't won a flag since. And after the Yankee triumph of 1932, the Nats mooved in for a year, followed by the Tigers for two consecutive seasons.

Sure the Yankees are the favorites to win the 1939 pennant and probably will. But it is not a hopeless cause for the other clubs in the league. The Red Sox and Tigers can spend as much money, but will they spend it sagaciously as the Yankees have been spending it? That will be the determining factor. The real triumphs would be not in tearing down the Yankees, but in building up to them. That's what I think.

Woodberry Wins All Mat Matches

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Woodberry Forest, Va., Feb. 17.—The Woodberry Forest wrestling team closed its season undefeated here today by downing the Washington and Lee freshmen, 23-11, in a spirited set of matches.

After losing the 118-pound class on decision and the 126 by forfeit, the visitors took two straight decisions and seemed well on the way to snatching the lead with a victory in the 155-pound division when Jones, of Woodberry, suddenly came up from the bottom to pin Lanier with less than a minute left to wrestle. Hornor and Watts, of the home team, followed up with falls in the 165 and 175 pound classes to clinch the meet.

Fuller's decisio nover Roper, of Woodberry, in the 145-pound class marked the latter's first defeat in two years.

118 pounds—Smith (W. F.) defeated Morgan on decision.

126 pounds—I. Griffen (W. F.) on forfeit.

135 pounds—Puddington (W. & L.) defeated Roper on decision.

155 pounds—Jones (W. F.) threw Lanier in 3:18. (Shoulder-Nelson and far-arm.)

165 pounds—Hornor (W. F.) threw Bruinsma in 5:06. (Half-Nelson.)

175 pounds—Watts (W. F.) threw Scheilenberg in 3:23. (Half-Nelson.)

Unlimited—Yocum (W. & L.) on default.

Referee—Graves (W. F. L.).

Butterworth and Osborne Lost To Colonial Basketball Team

Two Basketball Stars Will Be Graduated Next Wednesday

George Washington's hope for victories over Maryland and Georgetown and the appending unofficial District collegiate basketball championship were considerably darkened yesterday by announcement that Jack Butterworth and Davey Osborne, "Mutt and Jeff" combination of the strong Colonial squad, are to be graduated Wednesday.

The faculty informed Athletic Director Max Farrington that the boys have completed requirements for their degrees and will be graduated at the midwinter convocation.

Both, therefore, will be ineligible for the Colonials' four remaining games, with Maryland, Baltimore University, St. John's of Brooklyn and Georgetown. The Maryland game is Wednesday, and the Georgetown contest, marking official resumption of athletic relations between the local rivals, is March 8.

Butterworth and Osborne will be enrolled through the second term as graduate students.

Coach Bill Reinhart has been grooming two understudies, Bruce Borum and Joe Comer, since the start of the season to replace Butterworth in the event that he was graduated. Borum is a 6-foot 3-inch senior, and Comer a 6-foot 2-inch sophomore, who was developed by Roosevelt High School.

Osborne, though not a starter in recent games, has been an ever dependable player for three years, turning in a steady and flashy performance whenever called upon despite his lack of height.

Osborne, a 5-foot 6-inch blond and the 6-foot 4-inch Butterworth have been inseparable friends since grammar school. They attended high school in Evansville, Ind., and came to George Washington together.

Butterworth, rated one of George Washington's greatest centers, was an All-District selection last season and has been honored several times by being placed on all-opponent teams selected by strong rivals, such as Ohio State. This season he has been handicapped by illness and never quite approached his form of last year, though he remained a star player. He missed the first four games, because of a lung ailment, and later was slowed down by a twisted ankle. This, however, has proved fortunate because it gave Borum and Comer added opportunities to acquire needed experience.

BUTTERWORTH

Central and Tech Win Inter-high Series Games

Central Wins Over Western By 22 to 20

Game Goes Into Extra Periods; Tech Upsets Wilson, 28-19, Before 2,000 Fans

By Bill Burnett.

Central High School's Harry Martin stopped a fast dribble exactly on the white stripe that cuts McKinley gymnasium into two equal parts, blinked briefly into the glaring lights overhead, and fired the shot that threw the interhigh basketball race into a three-way deadlock last night. The shot meant a 22-20 victory over Western, and put Central in a tie with Tech and Roosevelt for two of the berths in the championship tournament to be held next Friday and Saturday.

Martin's brilliant toss came after one of the most dramatic basketball games ever seen in Washington—in the third overtime session. It was the first game—schoolboy or college—to go into that many extra periods this season.

Tech Beats Wilson

Tech, the home team, started the rousing proceedings in the first half of the double-header by turning back the hitherto unbeaten forces of Woodrow Wilson, 28-19.

By the time Western and Central took the floor, the 2,000-odd spectators were prepared for almost anything, and they got it. After being shut out in the first period, while Western scored with two field goals and as many foul tosses, Central staged a hot spell of its own, running up 9 points before Western again tallied. The lead changed hands three more times before the half, when Central led, 13-12.

Through the third perido that sort of action continued, and as a result it was a 17-17 tie going into the finual period. Dick Farr and Harry Martin gave Central a three-point lead, but Jake Hilleary dribbled in to slice it to one. Bob Holloran evened matters with less than 2 minutes of the regular game left, sinking a charity toss allowed on Len Sokol.

Miss Frequently

The first two overtimes were missed by four field goals by Central and two by Western. The set-up that Holloran missed was the closest, spinning around the ring and lazily falling out. Martin's crucial heave came after 2 minutes of the third three-minute overtime.

Tech.	G	FG	P	Wilson.	G	FG	P
Kendall,f	2	1	5	Hayock,f	2	0	4
Walsh,f	4	1	9	Fusler,f	1	0	2
Shulman,f	1	1	3	Findley,c	2	2	6
Tenbaum,f	1	1	3	Maloney,g	2	0	4
Edwards,c	1	0	0	Columbus,g	1	1	3
Blank,g	2	1	5	McCormick,g	0	0	0
Totals	11	6	28	Totals	8	3	19

Referees—Enright and Mitchell.

Western.	G	FG	P	Central.	G	FG	P
Schenker,f	1	0	2	Kligman,f	0	0	0
Beatty,f	0	0	0	Sokol,f	3	1	7
Horn,f	2	2	6	Apostolakos,f	0	0	0
Dwyer,c	2	3	7	Farr,c	3	0	6
Hilleary,g	2	0	4	Clarke,c	0	0	0
Holloran,g	2	0	1	Martin,g	2	2	6
				Panago,g	1	1	3
Totals	7	6	20	Totals	9	4	22

Referees—Enright and Shirley.

Montgomrey Girls Down G.W. High

Richard Montgomery's High girls basketball team easily downed its rival, George Washington High of Alexandria last night, 30-19. Taking an early lead in the first quarter the Montgomery girls were never threatened by the Alexandrians. It was the second time this year that the Marylanders won over George Washington and the two teams again meet in the Sportsmanship tournament to be held in Rockville, Md., in the near future.

Margaret William and C. Martin were high scorers for the winners, while M. Strickler led the Virginians.

Rich. Mont.	G	FG	P	Geo. Wash.	G	FG	P
Orme,f	1	1	3	Haynes,f	2	3	7
Marg.Wm.,f	4	2	10	Strickler,f	4	2	10
Martin,sc	7	3	17	Warden,sc	1	0	2
Wolcott,c	0	0	0	Barnell,c	0	0	0
Garrett,g	0	0	0	Lyles,g	0	0	0
Marv.Wm.,g	0	0	0	Zexins,g	0	0	0
Totals	12	6	30	Totals	7	5	19

Referee—Craig.

Charlotte Hall Wins Over Annapolis, 28-19

After a slow start, in which it allowed Annapolis a 4-joint lead, Charlotte Hall Military Academy came from behind to win its fifteenth game in 19 starts, 28-19, in the Hall gym yesterday. At halftime the eventual winners held a 14-12 lead and increased on it during the final quarters. Slaughter's 7 points paced the victors.

Charl. Hall.	G	FG	P	Annapolis.	G	FG	P
Slaughter,f	3	1	7	Lentz,f	4	0	8
Guyther,f	1	0	2	McNew,f	1	0	2
Skilke,f	0	0	0	Lane,f	0	0	0
Wise,f	0	0	0	Brady,c	1	0	2
Crueger,c	1	0	2	Payne,g	1	1	3
Monedero,c	2	2	6	Larson,g	1	0	2
Jenkins,g	3	0	6	Sinesy,g	1	0	2
Burch,g	2	1	5				
Kelleher,g	0	0	0	Totals	9	1	19
Watson,g	0	0	0				
Totals	12	4	28				

Referee—Latona.

Bethesda Chevy Chase Jayvees Beat G. U. Prep

The Bethesda-Chevy Chase Jayvees basketball team routed Georgetown Prep's junior varsity, 58-15, yesterday at Garrett Park.

The winners were led by Bob Keene and Bob Sebling, with 18 points apiece.

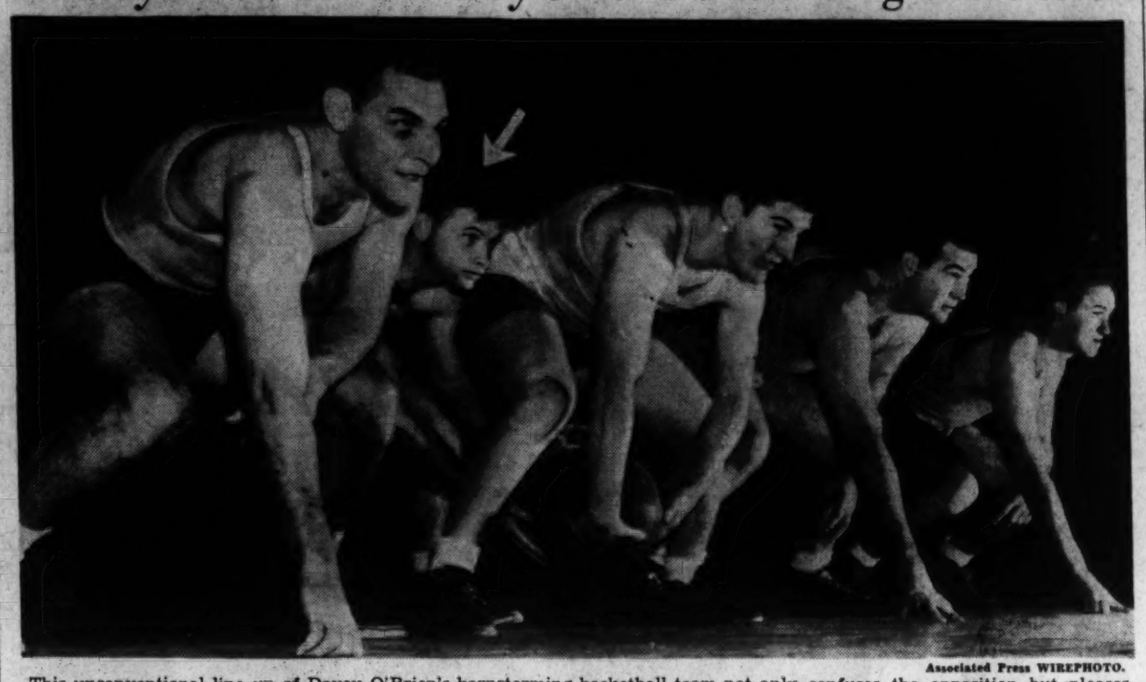
Hyattsville Girls Defeat Annapolis

Hyattsville High's girl basketball forces registered their fourteenth basketball triumph this season yesterday, defeating Annapolis High girls, 33-19. Flora Benson's 16 points, most of them tallied in the second half, were mainly responsible for the victory. Hyattsville led, 11-9 at the half.

Tom Heurich Signs

Massillon, Ohio, Feb. 17 (AP).—"Entirely satisfied" with the terms, Tommy Henrich, New York Yankee outfielder, announced at his home here today he had signed and returned to the Yankee management his 1939 contract.

Davey O'Brien Dwarfed by Other Barnstorming Basketeers



Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

This unconventional line-up of Davey O'Brien's barnstorming basketball team not only confuses the opposition but pleases the cash customers. The all-American football quarterback (second from left, indicated by arrow) is almost hidden by hulking teammates. The T. C. U. stars, left to right, are Russell Hench, end; O'Brien, Ki Aldrich, all-American center; I. B. Hale, Redskin draftee tackle, and Pat Clifford, halfback

Davey O'Brien Star on Own Pro Quintet

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 17.—It's a far cry from autumn's glittering gridiron spectacles to the hum-drum of basketball barnstorming in the tank towns—but to Davey O'Brien there's one thing in favor if the hard-boards.

Davey's making money out of it and that's more than cen be said for last season's football jousts when he got all the glory that All-America distinction as Texas Christian University's mighty passer afforded—but without any of the cash that rolled in at the gate.

You'll find Davey these wintry nights raving up and down the basketball courts, surounded by four fellow gridders at T. C. U.—and he make five to eight bucks a game.

The team is known as O'Brien's All-American All-Stars with Davey hidden most of the time by four mastodons of the football field—Ki Aldrich, who was all-American at center; I. B. Hale, who made quite a few teams at tackle, and Pat Clifford, halfback, and Russell Hensch, end.

But the game is built around little Davey who does all sorts of stunts with a basketball like climbing on the shoulders of Hale and Aldrich and looping the ball through the basket and being the center of a flying wedge.

You'll see Davey climb atop the giant Aldrich and dribble the ball down the floor. Suddenly Ki passes to Davey and O'Brien sinks a basket. The trickie st of all is when O'Brien, who is near the basket, is lifted suddenly to Hale's shoulders by his teammates. It's simple for him to score then.

American Cagers Beat Yellow Jackets

Ashland, Va., Feb. 17 (AP).—American University's cagers defeated Randolph-Macon tonight, 36 to 33 in a colorful game marked by Schultze's unerring marksmanship for the invaders.

The lineups:

American.	G	FG	P	Rand.-Macon.	G	FG	P
Bartlett,f	4	0	8	McFall,f	4	1	9
Rifenbary,f	1	0	2	Hubbard,f	1	4	6
Bryhman,c	3	0	6	Palisack,c	1	5	7
Brown,g	1	0	2	Welch,g	0	1	1
Schulze,g	4	5	13	Fox,g	2	2	6
Reese,f	0	0	0	Cale,f	1	0	2
Webb,f	2	1	5	Sawyer,c	1	0	2
Hudson,c	0	0	0	Luce,f	0	0	0
				Giulbic,f	0	0	0
Totals	15	6	36	Lobuno,f	0	0	0
				Totals	10	13	33

Officials—Downey (unattached). (V. M. I.); Weise

Georgetown Gunners Beat Marine Barracks

The Georgetown University rifle squad scored one of its most gratifying victories of the season yesterday, defeating Marine Barracks' strong team, 1,364-1,362, on the losers' range.

Marine Barracks	S.	K.	P.	Total
Cronin	82	92	100	274
Fisher	74	94	96	264
Guilbeau	84	84	90	258
Kapanke	85	92	100	277
Orr	86	96	99	281
				1,362
Georgetown				
Lewis	88	88	99	275
Hoffman	72	92	100	264
Wales	84	86	96	266
Kurdziel	90	92	98	280
Hruby	88	91	100	279
				1,364

Scores

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Detroit Tech, 40; Armour Tech, 33.
Manhattan, 50; City College, 41.
Davis-Elkins, 42; Mt. St. Mary's, 22.
Cornell, 30; Dubuque, 12.
American U., 36; Randolph-Macon, 33.
Temple, 36; Carnegie, 34.
Brown, 57; M. I. T., 24.
Conn. State, 52; Coast Guard, 42.
Vanderbilt, 53; West. Kentucky Tchrs., 49.
N. Carolina, 40; N. C. State, 28.
Johns Hopkins, 34; Haverford, 32.
N. Dak. U., 42; N. Dak. State, 40.
St. Ambrose, 57; Western Union, 32.
Villanova, 36; St. Joseph's, 18.
Dartmouth, 55; Cornell, 44.
Loyola, 43; Western Md., 23.
LaSalle, 46; F. M. C., 28.
Larkson, 54; Alfred, 25.

PREP BASKETBALL

Tech, 28; Wilson, 19.
Central, 22; Western, 20 (3 overtimes).
Massanutten, 42; Benedictine, 22.
Jefferson, 26; G. W. High School, 15.
Montgomery-Blair, 53; Charlestown, 14.
G. W. Frosh, 32; Y. M. C. A., 28.

COLLEGE BOXING

Columbus, 6; Tennessee, 2.
Wisconsin, 6½; Loyola (N. O.), 1½.

WRESTLING

Chicago, 16; Purdue, 14.

EASTERN AMATEUR HOCKEY LEAGUE

Baltimore, 4; Atlantic City, 3.

COLLEGE SWIMMING

Nebraska, 49; Kansas, 38.

Staunton Tank Team Defeats Wilson, 37-29

Miller, Star of the Losing Squad, Takes Individual Honors

Staunton Military Academy's powerful swimming team was held to a 37-29 victory yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. pool by Woodrow Wilson's recently organized tankmen, as Miller, of the losers, took individual scoring honors.

Miller crossed the finish line first in both the 50-yard and 100-yard free-style events. His 59-second performance in the latter was the fastest time turned in by a local scholastic swimmer in competition this year.

Results are as follows:

50-YARD FREE STYLE—First, Miller (W. W.); second, Kettler (W. W.); third, Hill (S.). Time, 26 seconds.

100-YARD BREAST STROKE—First, Ousley (S.); second, Schroder (S.); third, Mead (W. W.). Time, 1:12.3.

220-YARD FREE STYLE—First, Roderick (S.); second, Toole (S.); third, Little (W. W.). Time, 2:30.9.

100-YARD BACK STROKE—First, Shelmas (S.); second, Humphrey (S.); third, Brylawski (W. W.). Time, 1:13.7.

100-YARD FREE STYLE—First, Miller (W. W.); second, Cater (S.); third, Meiss (S.). Time, 59 seconds.

FANCY DIVING (low board)—First, Williams (W. W.); second, Hill (S.); third, Prepburser (W. W.). Winner's points, 62.8.

160-YARD MEDLEY RELAY—Won by Staunton (Prestel, Ousley, Roderick).

213-YARD FREE STYLE RELAY—Won by Wilson (Kettler, Griesemer, Crane, Pratt).

Final score: W. W., 29; S. M. A., 37.

Warrenton Teams Win Cage Double-Header

Warrenton, Va., Feb. 17.—Warrenton's boys' and girls' teams won a double-header here last night. The girls won from the United Typewriter Grays of Washington, handing them their second defeat of the season with a score of 18-16. Jane Gray was high scorer for the girls team. The boys took their game, 58-0, from the Shamrocks of Woodstock, Va., who have a record as one of the best teams in the Valley. Tom Todd sank the most baskets for them. Warrenton's two fast-moving teams want to schedule teams in Maryland and the District.

Boxing Match Tops Sports Card at Navy

By the Associated Press.

Annapolis, Feb. 17.—Navy boxers top the athletic week-end at the Naval Academy tomorrow, meeting powerful Syracuse University.

The ring warriors took over top billing in the absence of the varsity basketball team, which entrained tonight for New York to play Columbia University in the only road game of the year. The midshipmen go into the game against Columbia fresh from a one-sided victory over William and Mary Wednesday.

Coach Spike Webb's boxers were primed for the Syracuse punchers after their surprise draw with the University of Virginia aces last Saturday. Navy was conceded an outside chance against the Cavalier glove tossers, but copped the 121-pound, 127-pound, 135-pound and 165-pound decisions to earn a standoff with the Southerners.

Lyman Rhodes, who took the 165-pound class against Virginia, and Johnny Shepherd, 127, were expected to rack up points for Navy tomorrow night, along with Tommy Bennett, 121-pounder, undefeated this year.

The Navy wrestlers take on the University of Pennsylvania grapplers in another high spot of the athletic week-end. Navy's bonebenders have been defeated by Lehigh, but rate an equal break with the Penn squad.

The Navy swimmers, smeared by the Princeton stars Saturday, go up against another Big Three opponent in the Harvard squad. Little is known of the Cambridge natators, but Navy is conceded less than an even break. The Navy plebes tangle with the Staunton Military Academy swimmers.

The Navy's top-flight swordsmen, undefeated this year, cross swords with the Cornell dueling squad. The plebe fencers take on the Penn Charter School team.

Other athletic events on the program at the academy include: Plebes vs. Hun School, basketball; Plebes vs. University of Virginia Frosh, boxing; Navy varsity vs. Lehigh, small-bore rifle, at Lehigh; Plebes vs. McKinley High School, small-bore rifle; Varsity vs. Temple, gymnasium; Plebes vs. Temple Frosh, gymnasium.

Regal Bowlers Are Shut Out By Connecticut Blue Ribbons

D. C. Men Fail to Win a Game As New Englanders Gain 143 Lead

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Willimantic, Conn., Feb. 17.—Failing to win a game, Max Rosenberg's Regal Neon Sign bowlers suffered the worst defeat ever handed a Washington team here when the famous Connecticut Blue Ribbons fairly breezed in the winner of a five-game match by a margin of 143 pins with a score of 3.168 to 3,025.

The Frank Barber aggregation, off to a 43-pin lead in the first game, added to their decisive victory in every skirmish as the match progressed. Hokie Smith was the only Capital bowler to roll the brand of duckpins that have made Washington teams feared in the Nutmeg State. His 156 game which topped the match and his 654 set, far outstripped the efforts of his teammates.

Washington Regal Neon Signs

Clarke	105	121	142	122	115—605
Smith	156	116	144	128	110—654
Blakeney	105	116	144	117	114—596
Harrison	93	149	106	125	114—587
Rosenberg	123	110	105		—338
Wolfe				109	136—245
Totals	582	602	641	601	589-3.025

Connecticut Blue Ribbons

Tronsky	121	114	128	140	134—637
Gacek	104	123	141	154	107—629
Boeckman	144	128	108	114	132—626
Bozino	115	145	139	137	111—637
Tato	141	108	137	117	136—639
Totals	625	618	643	662	620-3,168

Match at Ice Palace

District Judges Casey, Curran and Canfield will be on a men's team which will oppose the Chevy Chase girls at the Ice Palace alleys tonight.

Gas Light League

George Moffett rolled a 154 game and a 423 set at the Ice Palace drives. West Station No. 1 turned in a 591 set and Service No. 1 had a team set of 1,685.

Rela Estate League

Roscoe Throckmorton and L. Feller carried off individual honors in this circuit. The former had a set of 381, and the latter a high game of 150. District Title Co. had 616 and 1,731.

75 Due to Bowl In 'Dub' Tourney

A field of 75 is expected for the fifth annual Charles H. Olive "Super Deb" bowling sweepstakes at Queen Pin alleys this afternoon and tonight.

With a first prize of $100 guaranteed, the city's third-rate duckpin spillers promise to have a field day. The prize purse is expected to exceed $500. Only bowlers whose current average or less are eligible. As far as has been learned, Ralph Bates, last year's winner, is again eligible to roll.

Entries will be accepted up until 2 p. m., starting time for the afternoon competition. The entry fee is -5, cost of the games included. Entrants have the choice of rolling in the afternoon or at night.

Baltimorean Paces Women's Badminton

Philadelphia, Feb. 17 (AP).—Second-seeded Mrs. Eleanor A. Behr, of Baltimore, paced early winners in the women's singles competition of the first annual Pennsylvania State Open Badminton Championship Tournament today with an 11-2, 11-3 victory over Isobel Pepall, of Toronto.

Hellzapoppin' All Over Terp Camp Tonight

'All University Night' Includes Everything To Make a Big Evening

By Jack Munhall.

Another of Maryland's colorful sports and campus extravaganzas, "All University Night," consisting of varsity basketball and boxing and a kaleidoscopic review of other varsity athletics and extra-curricular activities, is expected to lure a capacity crowd to Ritchie Coliseum tonight.

The spectacular show, annual crowning point of the winter sports season at College Park, will open at 7:30 o'clock with a Southern Conference basketball game against V. M. I. and close with the feature attraction, a boxing match with strong Rutgers.

In between the basketball and boxing there will pass in swift and exciting manner a portrayal of a school year at Maryland, running in chronological order, depicting activities of every sports and curricular department. This varied program will require approximately 1 hours and 15 minutes, so it is doubtful if the boxing will begin before 9:45.

Important Game

The basketball game is an important one for Burt Shipley's in-and-out Terps, for they need a victory to tighten their hold on second place in the Southern Conference race and be assured of a second seeded position in the championship tournament at Raleigh, March 2-4.

Upset by William and Mary at home Tuesday night, Maryland lost considerable ground in the race. However, it retained its spot as runner-up to Wake Forest and could practically insure permanent retention of that place by defeating the Keydet five.

Defeating V. M. I., though, will require a much better performance than Maryland gave in losing to weak William and Mary, for the visitors will bring here one of their finest teams in recent years, led by Paul Shu, former Alexandria High School athelete, who is making sports history at V. M. I. Most of Shu's court teammates are football players—Doc Sanders, Andy Trezciak and Ray Taylor all were aces of the V. M. I. eleven last fall.

Face Tough Ring Foe

In boxing, the Terps also figure to meet formidable opposition. Rutgers, ever an Eastern ring power, defeated the Terps last season and will be practically an even choice to repeat if not duplicate that 6-3 licking tonight.

Rutgers have a well balanced aggregation, starring Joe Colonna, 120-pounder, who never was beaten in a duel collegiate meet, and Glenn Howatt, runner-up for the national light heavyweight crown last year.

Maryland, with one victory and three consecutive ties with Virginia, Catholic University and North Carolina to its record, is making two changes in its line-up in an effort to bolster the squad. Bob Lodge will replace Morty Steinbach in the 175-pound class and Steinbach will move up to the unlimited division, although he scales only a little more than 170 pounds.

Glenn Cunningham In Baxter Mile

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—The most interesting thing that could happen in the New York Athletic Club's track meet at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night would be for Glenn Cunningham to take his first licking of the season in the Baxter mile.

This is not intended as any reflection on the tireless Kansan. As milers go, Glenn is practically perfect. But that's the hitch—too much perfection, like anything else, gets monotonous.

However, a Cunningham defeat, no matter how much of an added fillip it would give the remaining meets on the winter program, still is no safe betting proposition. Glenn hasn't lost this season, has won the Baxter the last two years, setting a meet record of 4:08.6 in 1938, and besides, with the national championships just around the bend, won't be taking any chances tomorrow night.

Of the eight other invitation events on the N. Y. A. C.'s seventieth anniversary program, the 2 mile, Matt Halpin half mile and Buermeyer 500 are the most promising. The 2 mile shapes up largely as a question of whether Miklos Szabo, of Hungary, outdoor world record holder, can keep up with Don Lash, the indoor record holder.

In the half mile, John Borican, six-race winner from the Shore A. C. at Elberon, N. J., starts against Charley Beetham, Lou Burns, Howie Borck, Ross Bush and Sanford Goldberg. New York's flying fireman. Five have been named for the 500—Jim Herbert, of N. Y. U.; Bill Fritz, the classy Canadain; Dick Gill, of the Boston A. A., and John Quigley, brilliant Seton Hall Prep schoolboy prospect.

Rockville A. A. Five Meets Service Team

The Rockville A. A. boys basketball team, which defeated Calvary M. E., 37-30, in its last start, will meet Army War College tonight at 8:30 in the Rockville gym.

Sunday afternoon the Rockville Girls, District Post-A. A. U. champions, will play Agriculture as a preliminary to the Rockville boys' game with Little Tavern. The preliminary will begin at 3 o'clock.

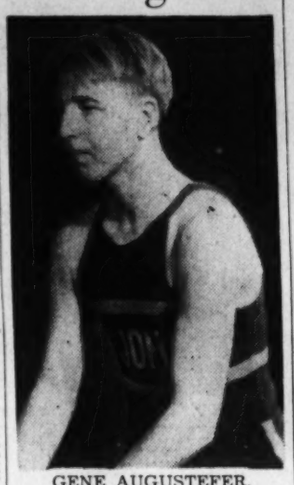
Front Royal Quint Bows to All-Stars, 36-32

Luray, Va., Feb. 17.—In a close game that was tied until the last four minutes, Luray All-Stars defeated Front Royal Independents in a basketball game here last night, 36 to 32. The Luray ladies lost to Front Royal, 45 to 15.

L. Waner Proud Papa

Oklahoma City, Feb. 17 (AP).—Lloyd Little Poison) Waner, of the Pittsburgh Pirates is a papa again. This time it's a six-pound girl, born yesterday. The Waner's first child, Lloyd, jr., is 5 years old.

Augustefer Gets Several Coaching Bids



GENE AUGUSTEFER, as St. John's player

Success at St. John's Brings Him Offers From Small Colleges

By Bill Burnett.

Gene Augusterfer, the chunky athlete who built up a large name for himself in his active basketball and football days at St. John's Prep and returned later to coach Johnnie teams through two of their most prosperous seasons, may pack up his brilliant coaching talent after this season and move on to greener fields. He has revealed that several small colleges have made advances for his services as grid and cage mentor.

If Augusterfer accepts one of the offers it will end here one of the most amazing prep school coaching careers ever to blossom in the District. A star at both St. John's and Catholic University, the diminutive local boy took over the sagging athletic reins of the little downtown school and made his teams a menace to all high school groups in the city. And all this in two years

Augusterfer ended his college days in 1935, possessed of the ability to play basketball and football better than the average athlete but without the vaguest idea of how to coach these sports. Professional football offered a temporary livelihood, and he signed to play with the Pittsburgh Pirates.

His intention to sign for his second year was thwarted by Brother Eadbert, benign athletic director at St. John's for the past five years, who persuaded him to come to the Vermont avenue institution as assistant coach.

During the season, 1936-37, while Augusterfer was assistant at the school, Johnnie athletic groups took it on the chin from a disheartening number of opponents. At football, they lost six games and won only one, and that over Georgetown Prep as it closed out its schedule.

The basketball record was little better. Thirty-one foes were undertaken by the Cadets and they lost to eleven of them. The city championship was far outside the Johnnie athletic scope with that mediocre record.

Then in September of 1937 Brother Eadbert gave Augusterfer full charge of the sports future of the school. His first football team was no world-beater, but it split even in the six games played, winning two, losing two and tying two. By the time the cage session rolled around the boys of St. John's had rounded into better shape than at any time in their career, and under Auguster's watchful eye proceeded to march roughshod over opponents. They culminated their season in possession of the city schoolboy title and with respectable performances in the Chicago Catholic Prep and the Washington-Lee basketball tournaments. They won 23 out of 27 games, tournaments included.

Last year football also reached an all-time high at the Catholic boys' school, where the student body never numbers more than 500. The Johnnies reversed their performance of two years before, winning six straight games and only falling to Western High in an upset that ended the season.

And before Augusterfer leaves St. John's, which he will have difficulty doing because of the satisfaction he gets out of working with a team upon which he used to star, another cage team will be heard from. So far the boys have a record of 14 victories against one setback. They have another chance at a city championship, and several tournament bids, and give credit for it all to Augusterfer. He did it all in two years.

Police Boys Club Wins at Alexandria

Police Boys Club No. 10's boxing team won a close decision over the Alexandria Boys Club by 5-3, before a capacity crowd that jammed the Virginian's gym alst night.

James Stewart (Alexandria), who won the decision over James Ramey (No. 10), and John Steinmeyer (No. 10), who outpointed James Murphy (Alexandria), were the outstanding boxers on the card.

The results follow:

70 POUNDS—James Stewart (Alex.) defeated James Tamey (No. 10).
80 POUNDS—Marvin Cramer (No. 10) defeated Wallace McDonald (Alex.).
90 POUNDS—Billy Hammersley (Alex.) defeated Frank Hyde (No. 10).
95 POUNDS—Roger Dunn (No. 10) defeated John Murphy (Alex.).
100 POUNDS—Jack Segal (No. 10) defeated Calvin Dailey (Alex.).
120 POUNDS—Al Coccie (No. 10) defeated Maynard Jacobs (Alex.).
125 POUNDS—James Radcliffe (Alex.) defeated George Dezern (No. 10).
130 POUNDS—John Steinmeyer (No. 10) defeated James Murphy (Alex.).
Referee—Denny Hughs.

Ice Skating Tonight At Riverside Arena

Washington's new ice skating rink, Riverside Arena, will be thrown open to the public tonight at 8.30 o'clock with a minimum of ceremony. Ray Alvis, general manager of the arena, announced the formal opening will be next week, but skating will be in order daily beginning tonight.

Mary Hamm and John Rickey, formerly associated wtih Carlin's Iceland Rink, Baltimore, have been signed as professionals for the Riverside Arena, and will be on hand to instruct novices in the delicate art of skidding over the ice.

While a definite program has not been arranged for the season, Alvis has booked one hockey match for March 8, and may add another before the close of the season. The opponents will be members of the Eastern Amateur League, playing an official league game.

Shepherd Rams Win Over Blue Ridge, 54-31

Shepherdstown, W. Va., Feb. 17.—With "Red" tipe and Robert Colston leading the way, the Shepherd College Rams last night defeated Blue Ridge College, 54-31, in one of the roughest battles played on White gymnasium this season. Stipe was the scoring ace of the contest with 13, but Colston, who heemed to be everywhere on the floor at once, was on the sending end of almost every pass that results in a basket for the Rams.

Shepherd.	G	FG	P	Blue Ridge.	G	FG	P
Stipe,f	6	1	13	Diglio,f	4	2	10
Colston,f	3	3	9	Troccia,f	1	0	2
Ambrose,c	3	5	11	Darvinio,c	2	2	6
Acierno,g	1	1	3	Golski,g	4	0	8
Forchelli,g	5	2	12	Peto,g	0	1	1
Huffman,g	0	0	0	Metcalf,g	1	0	2
Skinner,g	2	0	4	Kren,g	1	0	2
Riggleman,g	1	0	2				
Miller,f	0	0	0	Totals	13	5	31
Totals	21	12	54				

Referee—Dudley.

Down In Front

With Richards Vidmer

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A famous familiar cry was heard again when the current issue of Collier's weekly, went on sale yesterday. Gordon Cobbledick, who follows the Cleveland Indians around the circuit during the baseball season, pounds out a plea to break up the Yankees before the Yankees break up the game.

VIDMER.

This isn't exactly an original suggestion, but rather an echo from another era. Just ten years ago the same warning was being sounded because the Yankees had won three American League pennants in a row, swept through two world's series without the loss of a game and seemed destined to dominate the business of baseball indefinitely.

"Break up the Yankees," was the warning, "before the Yankees break up the game."

But the warning fell on deaf ears as far as the late Col. Jacob Ruppert was concerned and he did nothing to decrease their efficiency. However, the game went on as before, and the Yankees won only one more pennant in the next seven seasons.

Three More Straight

Now the Yankees have won three pennants in a row again, captured all three world's series and swept through the last one without a defeat. So once more w ehave the cry to break up the Yankees. But I'm afraid that Gordon Cobbledick's is but a still, small voice crying in the wilderness. The Yankees will not be broken up, nor will they continue to dominate the business of baseball forever.

They seem sur eto go on for at least another campaign, riding in front of the parade, but time will tak ecar eof the order of the march. It always has. The Giants won four pennants in a row in the other cricuit, their reign of triumph extending through the seasons of 1921, '22, '23 and '24. But time took care of that machine, moulded and managed by John McGraw, before it was necessary to legislate against its dominance.

Besides I doubt if there is any grav edanger in the seemingly unshakeable supremacy of the Yankees. I mean don't think baseball would go to pot or interest diminish if they kept on winning for ten years, which, of course, they won't. The attendance figures for the American League last season, during which the Yankees were winning their third straight pennant, were about up to the 1937 returns, and if I am not mistaken the American League set a new record for attendance in 1937.

One Big Team Is Thrill Itself

Of course, a close race is a very exciting thing to follow and keeps up the interest all around the country, but a really outstanding team is a thrill in itself. Of course, there is no such things as a perfect baseball team, but any team that is so good that it can completely dominate all opposition is something for which to strive, not legislate against.

It is the same in other sports. Any champion will attract attention, but a champion who can annihilate all challengers inspires awe. It was thinking of Joe Louis as an example. Jack Sharkey, Max Schmeling, Max Baer, Primo Carnera and Jim Braddock all were heavyweight champions of the world and crowds turned out to see them fight, but it wasn't until Joe Louis came along and completely dominated the field that the crowds had to be turned away.

No one is urging the pugilistic fathers to break up Joe Louis by law. Instead, there is a frantic search for someone who will prove to be better than he is. And it seems to me that instead of breaking up the Yankees, the natural urge would be to build a team better than they are.

Frosh Game Cancelled

Fod Cotton, Catholic University basketball coach, announced yesterday that the preliminary game between the Dapper Dans and the C. U. freshmen had been canceled.

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No Sir, at $11.40, Wins Hialeah Feature by Head Margin

Fans Groan As Favorite Is Pulled Up

Knight's Haven Last Away in Poor Start; Don Creole Second, U-Boat Third in Test

By the Associated Press.

Hialeah Park, Fla., Feb. 17.—After going winnerless in the first four races, favorite players attempted to recoup their losses on W. H. Gallagher's Knight's Haven in the featured Fort Myers purse, for grade "C" veterans, here today. The result was dire, for the horse broke a bad last and shortly afterward was pulled up by Johnny Barba.

Joheph Pepp's No Sir, an $11.40 for $2 chance, got up to take the purse by a head from Smith & Homan's Don Creole. S. H. Fairbanks' U-Boat was third, a length behind No Sir, running back to an excellent recent effort, stepped the 7 furlongs in 1:24 flat.

Most of the conversation this afternoon centered around the running of tomorrow's program, possibly the most brilliant ever offered in Florida. Such "name" horses as War Admiral, Stagehand, Pasteurized, Bull Lea and Volitant are scheduled to perform. The first four are the class of the coming Widener Challenge Cup, while Volitant is one of the favorites for the Flamingo Stakes, 3-year-old fixture.

A groan went up from the crowd when Knight's Haven left the stalls far behind the Fort Myers field. U-Boat and Cruising dashed away from the others. U-Boat disposed of Cruising after 6 furlongs, but the effort told in the drive home. No Sir, which had gained steadily from the start, and Don Creole, rated well up, disputed the issue in the last 70 yards, with Jimmy Lynch's mount outlasting his rival.

Joseph E. Widener's scarlet, white and black racing livery flashed to victory in the first race, for 2-year-old maidens at 3 furlongs.

Fair Grounds

Entries

By the Associated Press.

FIRST RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.
5 Heavy Mist... 102 1 *Pease Dr.... 104
6 *Ellie ..... 100 2 *Jubilee C.... 102
7 *Park. Chief.. 105 3 Now And Then 107
8 *Witchs Wall.. 104 4 War Trade.... 109
SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
8 Muriellynn.. 109 2 *Game 104
9 *Idle Worker 109 3 Dixie Princess 110
10 Marcabala... 118 4 Social Error.. 109
11 *Tramway ... 109 5 *Prostible 104
12 *Hedon .... 108 6 *Ducmiss 108
13 *Clasp ..... 104 7 *Gold Step.... 109
1 Henry M. 114
THIRD RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
10 Swift Lad... 116 1 *High Diver.. 111
11 Play Line... 112 2 *Miss Damara 104
12 *My Peg .... 109 3 **Night Bud.. 111
13 Pirate Lass 111 4 **Ilka 100
14 *Arctic Star 111 5 **Carb. Goldy. 102
15 *Dusky Maid 100 6 *Firm Hand.. 108
16 *General Boy 107 7 *War Whoop.. 104
17 Persuader .. 116 8 *Almarine 102
18 *Sound Wave 109 9 *Bobrax 109
FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
5 *Hilo Manso.. 106 2 Barbara S.... 104
6 Buster Boy... 105 3 *Yule Star.... 113
7 Dead Calm... 118 4 *Phalasan..... 108
1 Prince Sador. 111
FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $700; allowances; for 3-year-olds.
4 Sweep Day.... 100 1 Lostasal 114
5 Helen Mac.... 100 2 Bright 102
6 Hope D'mond 100 3 Dick N'hapur 105
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; the Rex Handicap; purse, $1,500; for 3-year-olds and upward.
6 *Bunny Baby 100 1 Rope D'mond.. 94
7 Rich Cream.. 90 2 Fairflax 113
8 ‡Gatoo ..... 107 3 Chief Nadi.... 98
9 Old R'bush.. 110 4 ‡Grey Streak. 103
10 Bejabbers .. 102 5 Knee Deep.... 98
11 *Wh. Cockade 114
‡E. K. Bryson and T. J. Hill entry.
‡Mrs. A. M. Creech entry.
SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
6 *Dr. McL'ney 104 2 *Migal Fay.... 105
7 Miney ..... 103 3 *Dolly E..... 103
8 *Stroll. Home 103 4 *Royal Flight. 108
9 *Jotemdown .. 108 5 *Col. Martin... 101
1 Jadva 105
EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
10 *Checks ..... 102 1 Hickory Lad.. 107
11 *Waugh Sc't 105 2 *Stout Heart. 107
12 *Apple Time. 107 3 *Rockrim..... 107
13 Inscomira.... 108 4 *Irisneen 102
14 Clawseep.... 110 5 *Tapstick 102
15 Lucy ..... 107 6 Kupera 112
16 Rhimeda .... 105 7 Sister Jean.... 107
17 *Miss Horton 102 8 *Impeach..... 107
18 Dear Me..... 105 9 Paul T. 107
NINTH RACE (Substitute)—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.
10 *Bilkan ..... 105 1 Lashybo 110
11 Molasses Bill 110 2 *Charwitch 100
12 Tixer John.. 110 3 *Porcelain 105
13 *Leeoran .... 105 4 *Wacky Jack.. 105
14 Snorky ..... 110 5 *Prince Jean.. 105
15 *Louise Q.... 100 6 *Rogert S..... 103
16 *Houstonian.. 110 7 Courtenay..... 103
17 Weslko ..... 110 8 Kizzy D..... 105
18 Broad Lights. 110 9 *Justificetain. 105
Weather, clear; track, fast.
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

FAIR GROUNDS SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—War Trade, Now And Then, Witchs Wall.
2—Marcabala, Ducmiss, Gold Step.
3—Persuader, High Diver, Arctic Star.
4—Yule Star, Prince Sador, Dead Calm.
5—Lostasal, Hope Diamond, Bright.
6—White Cockade, Fairflax, Old Rosebush.
7—Migal Fay, Jadva, Dr. McLarney.
8—Paul T., Rockrim, Kuvera.
9—Bread Lights, Snorky, Leeoran.
Best bet—White Cockade.
—Louisville Times (A.P.).

Results

By the Associated Press.

FIRST—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Vedalia, 107	(G. Smith)							6.60	3.60	2.80
Saxopal, 107	(Bomen)								4.80	3.40
Overplay, 114	(Montgomery)									2.60

Justa Flight, Derby Dawn, Kapena also ran. Time, 1:47.

SECOND—Five and a half furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Double Whisk, 105 (Oros)								18.80	8.40	5.40
Set Pat, 113 (Marrero)									6.00	4.20
Chief's Boy, 108 (Conner)										8.80

*Double Tough, Way Yonder, Golden Chimes, Nordhan Sioat, ‡Malinda B., Princess Verte, Witch's Wall, *General R., Sundancer also ran. Time, 1:07.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Chinese Empress, 102 (Oros)								12.40	5.40	3.60
*Imperial Jones (Faze)									6.00	4.20
Polaris Seth, 107 (Dupuy)										9.20

*Broadcaster, Moons Mission, *Countess Reigh, Nellie Mc, Red Garter, Old Dominion, Zowie, Tireless Lady and Lyngate also ran. Time 1:14.

*Field.

FOURTH—One-quarter mile; purse, $600; for maiden 2-year-old fillies.

Perfect Maid, 112 (J. Richard)			4.10	3.00	2.20
Mary Greenock, 112 (E. Rodriguez)				6.20	4.40
Belle James, 112 (C. Fields)					7.60

Trim Stepper, Hiwave, *Rose Garden, *Mummer, Biond Queen, *Queenship, Lolly Bane, Marlboro Maid and White Feathers also ran. Time, 0:24.

*Field.

FIFTH—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Vote Boy, 111 (Castille)			14.00	6.00	3.80
Fore, 112 (O'Malley)				3.00	2.40
Miss Baloo, 106 (Oros)					2.80

Warwil, Jadaan and Straight Thru also ran. Time, 1:12 2-5.

SIXTH—Six furlongs; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

Roided, 108 (Oros)			8.60	4.40	2.80
Skating Fool, 110 (Johnson)			5.20	3.60	
Bold Fay, 100 (Dupuy)				4.00	

Cackle Time, Flag Orland, Grecian Time and Arboreal also ran. Time, 1:12 4-5.

SEVENTH—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $600; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Synod, 111 (Oros)			5.40	2.80	2.60
Garden Message, 111 (Castille)				2.60	2.60
Flying Cadet, 111 (Lowe)					7.40

*Trip, *No Doubt, Idolatry, Spey Crest, *Tightmouth, Inscolt, Otteron, Kleen Flight, Linnie Kate also ran. Time, 1:45 2-5.

*Field.

Chart of Hialeah Races

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1939.
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WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs (straightaway, nursery course). Purse, $800. For maiden 2-year-old colts and geldings. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 1:59. Off 2:00. Winner, J. E. Widener's b. g. (2), by Haste—Madamoiselle De Valois. Trained by D. E. Stewart. Value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:22 1-5, 0:33 4-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	Start	Stretch	Finish	Straight
TOWN BOY	(Wright)	120	6	5	2²	1½	$3.45
NOON STEP	(Peters)	120	8	4	1¹	2ⁿ	1.95
HI GOLD	(Quintero)	115	4	3	3½	3ⁿᵏ	6.65
SHAKER-MAN	(Steffen)	120	3	2	4⁵	4¹	3.50
HUGOOD	(Wagner)	120	1	7	8	5¹	††17.80
ATUM RE	(Meade)	120	7	6	6¹	6¹½	7.80
WISE GLANCE	(Donoso)	120	5	8	5⁵	7⁵	*
BOY BABY	(Balaski)	120	2	1	7¹	8	31.00

‡Mrs. H. Good entry.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—TOWN BOY, $8.90, $3.50, $2.60; NOON STEP, $4.00, $2.80; HI GOLD, $2.80.

TOWN BOY, a trifle slow to find his stride, moved into contention on the inside after crossing the main track and, responding to punishment, wore NOON STEP down and won going clear. NOON STEP went to the front with a rush in the first furlong, but raced greenly approaching the grandstand and faltered in the last sixteenth mile. HI GOLD, prominent all the way, held on tenaciously when the final test came and outlasted SHAKER-MAN. The latter, in tight quarters early and Steffen lost one of his stirrup irons. But for this he may have been closer.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 2:29. Off 2:32. Winner, Saratoga Stable's b. c. (3), by Infinite—Dosun. Trained by A. J. Goldsborough. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:22 3-5, 0:46 1-5, 1:12 4-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PERSUASIVE	(Stout)	111	9	4	3¹	2¹	1¹½	1¹	$8.25
HOLIDAY TEA	(Greco)	112½	3	5	4¹	4¹	2ⁿᵏ	2ⁿᵏ	9.50
VIRAGIN	(Parise)	104	10	1	2¹	2¹	2¹	3ⁿᵏ	8.50
CANTOVINO	(Charlton)	101	1	3	1ⁿ	1ⁿ	1ⁿ	4½	2.50
VICUNA	(J. Renick)	106	4	6	7ⁿ	8¹	8¹½	5¹	13.00
HELEN'S LAD	(Meade)	114	8	8	8ⁿ	7½	7½	6¹	4.40
HUMMING	(Peters)	114	5	7	6¹	6¹	6½	7ⁿ	14.75
WEEBAG	(Ashcroft)	104	6	2	5½	5½	5¹	8¹	6.85
AIR EDDY	(Balaski)	111	2	9	9¹	9¹	9¹	9¹⁰	80.70
IRISH LOVER	(Donoso)	114	7	10	10	10	10	10	117.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PERSUASIVE, $18.50, $7.70, $5.40; HOLIDAY TEA, $9.10, $6.10; VIRAGIN, $6.00.

PERSUASIVE, going forwardly under vigorous urging, finished gamely through the stretch and wore the leaders down in the last few strides. HOLIDAY TEA, well up all the way, swung to the outside of the field in the final furlong and finished stoutly, but could not overhaul the winner. VIRAGIN, going in close attendance of the pace throughout, outstayed CANTOVINO when the real issue came. The latter displayed good speed while saving ground, but faltered in the final drive.

Daily Double, Town Boy and Persuasive, Paid $57.50.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start poor from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 3:01. Off 3:02½. Winner, W. N. Adrians' br. g. (3), by Epithet—Brown Bettina. Trained by H. Jacobs. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:46, 1:12 4-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
LEE S.	(Pariso)	109	6	2	1¹	1¹	1¹	1¹	$14.35
LITTLE HARPIST	(Wagner)	109	9	6	4ⁿ	3²	2²	2²	19.50
BRIGHT SPOT	(Ashcroft)	104	1	5	6ⁿ	4¹	3¹	3¹	7.35
KEN'S MOM	(Charlton)	104	7	9	8¹	8¹	6¹	4¹	4.90
GIMPEY	(Leyland)	115	4	7	9¹½	7½	7¹½	5¹½	99.85
LIGHTNING LADY	(J. Renick)	106	5	10	10	9²	9²	6²	7.90
RACEAWAY	(Meade)	114	3	3	2½	2ⁿ	4¹	7½	1.80
DEERPATH	(Nash)	102	10	1	5¹½	6ⁿ	5¹	8½	70.60
MR. JERSEY	(Donoso)	112	8	8	7ⁿ	10	10	9¹	62.35
TAUT	(Roberts)	111	2	4	3½	5¹	8½	10	5.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—LEE S., $30.70, $20.40, $12.30; LITTLE HARPIST, $19.40, $8.20; BRIGHT SPOT, $6.50.

LEE S., showing high speed, opened up a long lead in the early running while saving ground, but weakened badly through the stretch and just staggered home. LITTLE HARPIST, on the outside, gradually improved his position in the final quarter mile and would have won in another stride. BRIGHT SPOT, off tardily, gained steadily under strong pressure and easily disposed of the others. She may have been the best the way the race was run. KEN'S MOM, off poorly, closed a big gap. RACEAWAY, nearest in pursuit of the leader in the first half mile, quit badly after entering the stretch.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 3:30. Off 3:31½. Winner, J. B. Partridge's b. g. (4), by Sun Meadow—Onemore Time. Trained by J. J. Kirby. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23, 0:48 3-5, 1:11 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SUNTIME	(Charlton)	111	2	4	2¹	1ⁿ	1ⁿ	2¼	$3.45
VICTORIOUS ANN	(Meade)	110	6	3	1ⁿ	2¹	3¹	2¾	1.90
GAYSET	(Donoso)	111	1	6	2¹½	1ⁿ	2¹	3¹	1.30
CERISSE III	(Ashcroft)	108	3	4	5ⁿ	5¹	4¹½	4²	18.45
BIOLOGIST	(Stout)	109	5	1	3½	4ⁿᵏ	5¹	5ⁿ	36.30
ON THE DOT	(Peters)	113½	2	5	6	6	6	6	25.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SUNTIME, $8.90, $4.00, $2.40; VICTORIOUS ANN, $4.40, $2.60; GAYSET, $2.20.

SUNTIME, favored by a fast pace, began to better his position on the outside of the leaders in the final quarter mile and, responding to a strong hand ride, outlasted VICTORIOUS ANN in the final drive. VICTORIOUS ANN forced the pace and raced GAYSET into defeat, held on courageously when the final test came, but could not save off the winner's bid. GAYSET broke slowly from in hand, was rushed to the front along the inside, took a short lead, but faltered in the stretch drive. CERISSE III raced very wide rounding the turn and into the stretch.

FIFTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1,000. The Fort Myers. Grade C. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate for all but Knight's Haven. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:05. Off 4:08. Winner, J. Pepp's b. or br. g. (5), by Sortie—Fib. Trained by E. Pinto. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:48 2-5, 1:11 1-5, 1:24.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
NO SIR	(Lynch)	118	6	8	8	8	6²	4½	1ⁿᵏ	$4.70
DON CREOLE	(Stout)	116	7	4	4¹½	4²	3½	2½	2¹	7.75
U-BOAT	(Porter)	113	5	2	1¹½	1½	1ⁿ	1¹	1¹	8.15
CISNEROS	(Wright)	118	2	7	7²	5ⁿ	5ⁿ	6²	4¹½	12.85
CRUISING	(Littrell)	121	8	1	2ⁿ	2¹½	2²	3ⁿ	5½	54.05
WILLIAM PALMER	(Meade)	116	9	5	6ⁿ	7ⁿ	7²	7²	6ⁿ	3.20
MARFEU	(Donoso)	118	4	3	3¹	3½	4ⁿ	5¹	7²	66.15
YOUR BUDDY	(Simmons)	116	1	6	5¹½	6½	8	8	8	83.65
KNIGHT'S HAVEN	(Barba)	112	3		Pulled up					1.75

Two-dollar mutuels paid—NO SIR, $11.40, $6.60, $4.60; DON CREOLE, $7.10, $4.50; U-BOAT, $4.60.

NO SIR, slow to get going and outrun in the first half mile, bettered his position steadily thereafter between the leaders and, responding determinedly when the final test came, outlasted DON CREOLE. The latter, energetically urged, worked his way up on the outside, made a game effort and took a brief lead through the stretch, but was unable to withstand the winner's bid. U-BOAT set a rapid pace and raced CRUISING into defeat in the early stages, drew out at the furlong pole, but faltered in the final drive. CISNEROS, hard ridden, closed ground in the last quarter mile. KNIGHT'S HAVEN broke poorly and was unaltched up.

SIXTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1,100; allowances. The Travernier. For 3-year-olds. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:39. Off 4:37. Winner, Mrs. C. H. Cleary's br. f. (3), by Flying Heels—Laila Wild. Trained by C. Porter. Value to winner, $775; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:46 1-5, 1:10 4-5, 1:23 3-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
AMERICA FIRST	(Ashcroft)	118	11	7	4¹	3½	2¹	1²	1¹	$22.00
PLAYING DAN	(Snider)	115	3	5	8ⁿ	6¹	4ⁿ	4¹	2¹	4.20
GOLDPIN	(Berger)	115	7	9	9²	9¹½	6¹½	5½	3¹	7.75
OUR TEDDY	(Pariso)	105	4	3	7¹	7¹	5ⁿ	6²	4ⁿ	32.60
ALTER EGO	(Littrell)	110	6	4	1¹	1¹	1ⁿ	2ⁿ	5¹	6.60
ESPINACA	(Nash)	115	8	6	5ⁿ	4½	3½	3½	6²	4.10
LATER ON	(Meade)	120	9	10	10¹⁰	10¹⁰	8½	7¹	7¹	3.10
MISS FIREFLY	(Charlton)	110	10	8	6¹	8ⁿ	9²	8½	8½	20.90
MANY MOONS	(Maloney)	107	2	2	2¹	2¹	7ⁿ	9½	9¹	10.70
BRILLIANT ROCK	(Quintero)	115	1	1	3½	5ⁿ	12¹⁰	10¹⁰	10¹⁰	31.60
LOWRY	(Juarez)	115	5	11	11	11	11	11	11	170.95

Two-dollar mutuels paid—AMERICA FIRST, $46.00, $18.10, $8.80; PLAYING DAN, $6.00, $4.40; GOLDPIN, $6.20.

AMERICA FIRST, in the thick of contention all the way, displaced the leaders entering the stretch and drew out, but had to be vigorously ridden to maintain his advantage in the final drive. PLAYING DAN, under stout restraint in the early stages, made a bold bid when called upon, but could not overhaul the leader. GOLDPIN, steadied in the early stages, fought his way through the leaders in the final quarter mile and finished gamely. OUR TEDDY finished resolutely. LATER ON was never formidable.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good from Bahr gate. Won cleverly; place driving. Went to post 5:11. Off 5:13. Winner, M. Reiser's dk. br. f. (3), by On Watch—Queen of Jest. Trained by D. Shaw. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:24 1-5, 0:49, 1:14 3-5, 1:40 2-5, 1:52 3-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
JEST ONCE	(Nash)	110	8	6	7½	5¹	3¹	1¹½	1¹	$5.10
CORONADO	(Wright)	113	4	7	8²	8½	8¹	5¹½	2²	8.05
BIG NED	(Arcaro)	115	7	10	9ⁿ	7¹	5¹	3¹	3¹	9.15
GRAND PAGEANT	(Snider)	104	1	3	2¹	2ⁿ	1ⁿ	2¹	4¹	9.05
BLUE FANG	(Meade)	115	6	1	4¹	4½	4½	6²	5¹	3.50
BROWN BEN	(Pariso)	115	3	8	6ⁿ	6ⁿ	6½	7¹½	6¹½	4.20
PAY D	(Charlton)	110	2	9	10	10	9¹	9¹	7ⁿ	10.85
SKY CREST	(Ashcroft)	107	5	5	3ⁿ	3¹	2ⁿ	4¹	8¹	9.30
ELLEN H	(May)	110	9	4	6¹	9ⁿ	10	10	9²	93.45
NICHOLAS S	(Quintero)	112	10	2	1½	1ⁿ	7¹	8½	10	28.15

Two-dollar mutuels paid—JEST ONCE, $12.20, $6.70, $4.80; CORONADO, $7.40, $5.70; BIG NED, $6.50.

JEST ONCE moved around the field steadily after entering the homestretch, disposed of the leaders entering the stretch and won under mild urging. CORONADO, pulled up repeatedly while racing on the inside for six furlongs, came through between the leaders entering the stretch and closed with a rush and was probably the best. BIG NED worked his way up on the outside, made a game effort when called upon, but was not good enough. GRAND PAGEANT retired after going six furlongs. BLUE FANG, well handled and prominent early, weakened in the final furlong.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 5:44. Off 5:46. Winner, D. J. Sullivan's b. g. (5), by Chicle—Hail Columbia. Trained by S. Hicks. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:24, 0:48, 1:13 1-5, 1:39 3-5, 2:05 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
AMERICA FIRST	(Ashcroft)	118	11	7	4¹	3½	2¹	1²	1¹	$22.00
PLAYING DAN	(Snider)	115	3	5	8ⁿ	6¹	4ⁿ	4¹	2¹	4.20
GOLDPIN	(Berger)	115	7	9	9²	9¹½	6¹½	5½	3¹	7.75
OUR TEDDY	(Pariso)	105	4	3	7¹	7¹	5ⁿ	6²	4ⁿ	32.60
ALTER EGO	(Littrell)	110	6	4	1¹	1¹	1ⁿ	2ⁿ	5¹	6.60
ESPINACA	(Nash)	115	8	6	5ⁿ	4½	3½	3½	6²	4.10
LATER ON	(Meade)	120	9	10	10¹⁰	10¹⁰	8½	7¹	7¹	3.10
MISS FIREFLY	(Charlton)	110	10	8	6¹	8ⁿ	9²	8½	8½	20.90
MANY MOONS	(Maloney)	107	2	2	2¹	2¹	7ⁿ	9½	9¹	10.70
BRILLIANT ROCK	(Quintero)	115	1	1	3½	5ⁿ	12¹⁰	10¹⁰	10¹⁰	31.60
LOWRY	(Juarez)	115	5	11	11	11	11	11	11	170.95

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The Post's Consensus at Hialeah

(Compiled from the selections of the Nation's leading handicappers).

Late Consensus (Revised)

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race	Eighth race
Fri. Scout (24)	Early Morn (31)	B. Van Nuys (22)	Volitant (27)	Stagehand (29)	War Admiral (40)	Dalamac (30)	Velociter (21)
Bl. Covert (14)	Jocks Betsy (13)	Sunphantom (15)	Cherry Jam (15)	Bull Lea (15)	Pasteurized (12)	Palan (13)	Jinx (14)
H. Triumph (9)	B. Beware (9)	Wh. Ginger (10)	Easy Mon (12)	Bickle T (10)	Stagehand (9)	Gold Cross (9)	Guild (8)

*Late, revised consensus in next edition.

Bennings (Washington Post)

Blue Covert	Range Dust	Sun Victor	Cherry Jam	Whitaker entry	War Admiral	Tontanna	Guild
Predicate	Jock's Betsy	Heritage	Volitant	Stagehand	Pasteurized	Manhattan	Jinx
Blind Impulse	Buyer Beware	Sunphantom	Easy Mon	Maemere entry	Stagehand	Erada	Velociter

Best bet—Range Dust.

Louisville Times (A.P.)

Blue Covert	My Porter	R. Van Nuys	Volitant	Stagehand	War Admiral	Palan	Jinx
Red Dock	Earl Morn	Sunphantom	Easy Mon	Bull Lea	Stagehand	Foreign Legion	Velociter
Blind Impulse	Range Dust	Sun Victor	Cherry Jam	Mythical King	Pasteurized	Manhattan	Guild

Best bet—War Admiral.

Bill Bennings

At the Post

Hialeah Park, Feb. 17.—

Dear Al.

The Bennings forces clicked with four winners today, but Clocker Mike went down swinging when Big Ned finished third in the seventh race. He thought Big Ned was something good to eat and so did I, for that matter, but the colt's closing rush found him plenty short of the top position. Mike has been thinking about taking his bank roll and opening an orange juice stand. If he doesn't hit a winner soon he will end up with a wicker basket and a few lemons. Tomorrow he's going to try to get back in high gear with $10 to win and $10 to place on Guild. Well ther's one horse Mike won't have to wory about for some time. Mrs. C. S. Bromley has decided to give Brannon a rest and has shipped the horse home to the farm until late spring racing. I haven't seen Gian t Killer for some time. Maybe they have shipped him to a glue factory. I know several horse-players who would second the motion. Well, War Admiral goes tomorow, at least his name appears in the entries. I hope that it is not another of those "Saturday come-ons" in which both War Admiral and Seabiscuit have figured in recent years. You know, the star horse is in the entries but is bound to be scratched after the uninformed turf fan arives at the track. The secretary's office has taken out a little insurance by inserting a "substitute race" in the day's program to keep the wagering moving in case War Admiral and the others fail to face the starter. War Admiral despite the fact that he has not been out since his dedown the heavy money tomorow. He has worked well and should give a god account of himself. Somehow I regret to see War Admiral go postward with Jockey Charlie Kurtsinger in the saddle. The Kentucky boy pust seems to belong aboard the son of Man O'War. Some persons, rather close to the Riddle Stable, believe that any boy could have won those races with War Admiral. On the contrary, it is my opinion that Kurtsinger was a strong factor. We shall see if another rider can rate the Riddle ace along as well as did Kurtsinger.

BILL.

First race—Blue Coveri ran a good race in the Everglade Stake and then came back to get out of the maiden class in good fashion. Appears to be a promising juvenile and gets my call. **Presicade** carries 120 pounds, but cannot be too lightly regarded. **Blind Impulse** to take care of the others

Second race—Range Dust seems the best suited of the 3-year-olds gathered for this test. Steffen will do the saddle work. **Jock's Betsy** stops, but is tossed in this with 104 pounds. The light assignment enhances her chances. **Buyer Beware** and **My Porter** are possibilities.

Third race—Sun Victor shapes up as a fair wager in this distance affair. Charlton will be aboard and I expect a smashing race. **Heritage** can better that last considerably. **Sunphantom** may fill out the money bracket.

Fourth race—Cherry Jam gets an edge in this field. Weeks have been excellent and the riding will be in charge of Eddie Arcaro. **Volitant** must carry 122 pounds and may need the race. **Easy Mon** is a fair sort and should get into the pay circle.

Fifth race—I'm going to a pair of moderately weighted horses from the Whitaker barn in this. **Sickle T.** and **Mythical King** will get my support and I'm placing my hopes chiefly in **Sickle T** I doubt if Trainer Sande will allow Stagehand to go in this large field, but he rates. The entry of **Go Home** and **Maeriel** should be close.

Sixth race—I'll probably get get mobbed if I don't put **War Admiral on top.** However, the Riddle star is not a cinch and will have the combination of Don Meade and **Pasteurized** to defeat. **Stagehand** has been away a long time and just shipped here.

Seventh race — Tonianna could knock this field for a loop. The turf course and the feather weight are factors. Not a lock, but one worth tabbing. **Manhattan** will like the weight off. **Erda** holds a Charles Town marathan distance record.

Eighth race—Guild, with only 101 pounds may surprise this gang. Can go the long route and needs only some saddle help from Ashcroft. **Jinx** and Jockey Meade have been a good combination. **Velociter** won that last.

If the substitute race is used, I'll take **Chatterfol, Maestrom** and **Rebel Yell.**

Best bet—Range Dust

Woodward Prep Defeats Friends

Woodward Prep basketers played host to Friends' School yesterday, and issued a stinging 31-16 defeat to their guests. Greer, of the winners, and Newmyer, of the losers, tied for the point lead with 13 apiece. All but two of the eight men used by Woodward scored at least once, however. At halftime, the winners held a 15-4 advantage.

Woodward.	G	FG	P	Friends.	G	FG	P
Christie, f	3	0	6	Brodie, f	0	1	1
Noyes, f	1	0	2	Newmyer, f	6

Local Bankers Act to Approve Overton Bill

Vote to Support Measure to Fix Costs Of D. C. Government

The District of Columbia Bankers Association at a special meeting held yesterday voted approval of Senate bill 1190, introduced by Senator John H. Overton (Democrat), of Louisiana, on February 6, "to fix the amount of the annual payment by the United States toward defraying the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia." The statement follows:

"The District of Columbia Bankers Association feels that it is essential to have an equitable arrangement with the Federal Government for the defraying of expenses for the government of the District of Columbia; that the recent method of allocating a flat sum has not been satisfactory and annually creates dissension and disturbance to both Congress and the taxpayers of the District of Columbia; that it would be highly desirable if a formula for allocating these expenses between the Federal Government and the District could be equitably enacted into law.

"The proposal of fixing this formula on the basis of the total acreage owned by the Federal Government, in proportion to the total acreage in the District, as provided in S. 1190, introduced by Senator Overton, will, on the basis of the present ownership of land by the Federal Government, require a contribution of approximately 80 per cent by the citizens of the District.

"Now, therefore, be it resolved, That the District of Columbia Bankers Association approves S. 1190 and urges its enactment into law, and instructs its officers to so advise Senator Overton by letter, and to offer to appear personally in behalf of the bill at any public hearing; and further, that the position of the District of Columbia Bankers Association be made known to the press for its information."

Studebaker Corp. Celebrates Its 87th Birthday

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 17.—The Studebaker Corporation today celebrated its eighty-seventh birthday, commemorating an unbroken record of harmonious labor relations, with a party for fathers and sons employed by the company. Paul G. Hoffman, president, in a statement to the workers, recalled that the $30,000,000 company began as H. and C. Studebaker, South Bend, with assets of $68 cash and two forges.

"The history of the Studebaker Corporation," he said, "is in the best American tradition. From the humblest beginning, a business has developed which stands today as a monument to independent, unshackled enterprise of the individual. There are many reasons why Studebaker has never experienced a major labor disturbance. One of them undoubtedly is the continuous employment provided our craftsmen who bring their sons into the shop with them. Studebaker's record of continuous employment for its workmen is twice as good as the automobile industry as a whole—5.9 yeras. Men over 40 years of age contribute materially to the progress of the business, as well as in the training of younger men. That is why we are proud to find that 55.7 per cent of the 6,760 men on the pay roll are more than 40 years old."

Flour Buying Advances Wheat

Chicago, Feb. 17 (AP).—Improved flour business injected fresh strength into the wheat market today, with prices up as much as ⅝ cent at times.

Trade remained quiet, however, and when moderate buying credited partly to milling interests subsided prices backed down slightly. Wheat closed unchanged to ⅜ higher compared with yesterday's finish, May 67⅞-⅝, July 68⅛-¼.

Corn was unchanged to ½ lower, May 48⅞-¾, July 50⅛-¼, oats ⅛-¼ higher, rye ¼-⅝ higher, and lard 5 to 8 cents lower.

Futures Price Range

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March	68	68	68	68
May	67⅞	68⅜	67⅞	68
July	68¼	68½	68	68¼
September	68⅞	69¼	68¾	69
Corn—				
March	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
May	49½	49½	48¾	48¾
September	50⅛	50¾	50⅛	50¼
Oats—				
May	28½	28⅝	28⅜	28½
July	27¼	27⅜	27¼	27¼
September	27	27¼	26⅞	27
Soy Beans—				
May	80¾	80¾	80¾	80¾
July	80⅜	80⅝	80⅜	80⅝
October	75½	75½	75¼	75¼
Rye—				
May	45½	45¾	45½	45½
July	46⅛	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛
September	47	47¼	47	47¼
Lard—				
March	6.65	6.65	6.57	6.57
May	6.82	6.82	6.72	6.72
July	6.98	6.97	6.90	6.90
September	7.17	7.17	7.08	7.05

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 71¼.

CORN—No. 3 mixed, 48; No. 2 yellow, 48¾@49½; No. 3, 47¾@49.

OATS—No. 2 mixed, 32; No. 1 white, 32½; No. 2, 32.

SOY BEANS—No. 3 yellow, 81¾.

TIMOTHY SEED—*2.85@3.15. Red clover, *13.00@16.00; red top, 9.25@9.75.

*Nominal.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Feb. 17 (AP).—Hogs added 5 cents to their best prices today, reaching a top of 18.35, highest since the middle of last October. The cattle market was generally steady, but fat lambs were weak to 15 cents lower.

(United States Department of Agriculture).—HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; uneven; weights 220 pounds down active; steady to 5 higher than Thursday's average; heavier butchers closing 10@20 lower; top, 8.35; bulk, good and choice, 160-230 pounds, 8.10@10.30; 240-280 pounds, 7.90@8.10; 290-32 pounds, butchers, 7.65@7.90; good, 400-500 pounds, packing sows, 6.85@7.15; few lighter weights to 7.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; calves, 300; general market steady; killing quality mostly medium; very little steer beef here; with nothing strictly choice offered; most steers, 8.50@9.50; top, 11.00; paid for 1,350 pounds averages; heifers, 9.15 down to 8.00; with plain kinds around 6.50@7.00, according to weight; light offerings bringing a grade for grade premium; cows fairly active, especially on cutter grades selling freely at 5.75 down to 4.80; weighty sausage bulls firm at 11.50 down to 9.50, few selected vealers, 12.50; not enough replacement cattle here to make a market; trade estimating another short run of cattle next week.

SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000; late Wednesday fat lambs steady to strong; top, 9.25 to all interests sparingly; bulk, 9.00@9.15; today's trade slow, weak to 15 lower; choice lambs like outsiders, 9.10@9.15; bulk to packers, 9.00 downs; sheep about steady.

The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks

	Fri.	Thur.
Advances	229	486
Declines	317	106
Unchanged	181	160
Total issues	727	752

Profit-taking results in irregular closing; volume, 682,010.

Bonds

New York traction issues extend advance; transfers, $6,209,000.

Curb

Lockheed shares in demand; turnover, 154,000.

Commodities

Wheat steady; cotton higher; sugar and coffee lower.

Exchange

Higher; Great Britain, $4.68¾; France, 2.64 13-16 cents.

Railroad Earnings Pick Up in Final Months of Year

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—The Pennsylvania Railroad, on basis of preliminary operating figures published today, earned about 84 cents a share on its capital stock in 1938, although the first half of the year was one of the leanest periods in the rail industry's history. A partial recovery of traffic in the final months of the year bolstered rail income. The 1938 profit compared with $2.07 a share earned in 1937, a relatively good year for the railroads.

Net income for the year was $11,046,100 against $27,278,638 in 1937 and for December totaled $2,593,939 compared with a net loss of $608,809 in the final month of 1937.

The Southern Pacific system showed a 1938 net loss of $6,829,008 compared with net income of $756,793 in 1937. December operations resulted in a net income of $438,969 contrasted with a net loss of $365,808 in the 1937 month.

Net loss of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific, according to its preliminary figures, increased to $17,996,270 from $14,221,271 in 1937, with a December loss of $818,860 against $1,414,803 in the 1937 period.

The Baltimore & Ohio's net loss rose to $13,124,530 from $720,695 in 1937, although the deficit in the final month was cut down to $232,539 from $1,053,691 in the last period of 1937.

Louisville & Nashville Railroad, for the year 1938, today reported net income of $2,706,016 after charges, equal to $2.31 a common share, against $7,100,346, or $6.07 a common share in 1937.

Odd Lot Sales Exceed Purchases

Small traders on the New York Stock Exchange sold more stock than they bought in the week ended February 11.

The Securities Commission reported yesterday that customers' odd-lot selling orders totaled 21,868 involving 553,219 shares valued at $18,422,277. Customers' orders to buy totaled 18,336 involving 488,436 shares valued at $18,445,323.

Factory Pay Higher Now Than in 1929

Actual Earnings Are 6.5% Above Weekly Wages 10 Years Ago

New York, Feb. 17.—Real weekly earnings in all manufacturing industries were 6.5 per cent higher in December, 1938, than in 1929, according to the statistical division of the National Industrial Conference Board today.

Real weekly earnings represent the purchasing power of the employee's weekly pay envelope in terms of changes in the cost of living, that is, changes in the prices of the goods a worker buys—food, housing, clothing, fuel and light and sundries.

In the industries manufacturing durable goods, real weekly earnings were 7.9 per cent higher in December, 1938, than in 1929. Workers in those companies making nondurable goods were earning 6.7 per cent more.

The greatest advance in real weekly earnings was among telephone and telegraph company employes, whose pay envelopes had 46.6 per cent more value in December, 1938, than in 1929. Other industries where real weekly earnings were higher included electric light and power and manufactured gas, 25.5 per cent higher in December; class I railroads, 25.7 per cent higher in November; electric railroads and motorbuses, 16.8 per cent higher in December, and crude petroleum producing, 8.1 per cent higher in December, 1938, than in 1929.

Small gains in real weekly earnings also appeared among employes working in year-round hotels and general merchandising, and wage earners working in metal mines and laundries.

Declines in cash values of their pay were noted in the groups of workers engaged in dyeing and cleaning, retail trade in general, wholesale trade and quarrying and nonmetallic mining, between 1929 and December 1938.

New Financing

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—New financing in the week ended yesterday totaled $32,867,000 compared with a total of $1,301,000 a year ago, Poor's Publishing Co., reported today. Of the last week's total, 52 per cent represented new money.

Security Averages

Stocks	50 Ind.	20 RR's.	20 Util.	90 To'l.
Yesterday	120.8	30.2	69.5	98.4
Previous day	121.6	30.3	70.3	99.1
Week ago	120.1	30.0	69.2	97.9
Month ago	124.5	32.0	68.5	101.1
Year ago	109.7	30.7	55.9	88.5
Two years ago	175.5	61.8	96.7	144.7
1938 high	136.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
1938 low	83.6	20.1	45.2	67.5
1937 high	180.3	67.5	104.7	148.3
1937 low	96.9	29.8	55.9	80.7
Bonds	20 Ind.	20 RR's.	20 Util.	60 To'l.
Yesterday	86.4	59.0	101.0	82.2
Previous day	86.6	59.1	101.0	82.2
Week ago	86.3	58.7	100.5	81.8
Month ago	86.2	60.3	100.0	82.2
Year ago	81.1	65.5	92.3	79.6
Two years ago	94.6	100.1	105.0	99.9
1938 high	87.3	70.0	99.7	83.0
1938 low	74.9	47.9	87.3	70.7
1937 high	95.0	101.2	106.0	100.7
1937 low	80.1	69.3	92.3	81.1

(1926 average equals 100).

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The Market

By C. Norman Stabler, *A Special Correspondent.*

Some Issues Reach New Highs for Year Profit-Taking in Final Hour Erases Gains N. Y. Traction Bonds Continue Advance

New York, Feb. 17.—Shares opened higher and continued to gain ground with a number of special issues recording new peak prices for the year or longer. At the start of the fourth hour, however, profit-taking brought irregularity, trading turned dull and quotations sank gradually until the close, which was fractionally lower over the entire list. The composite price for the 100 key stocks ended 0.11 down. Transfers totaled 682,010 shares.

Failure of the market to add to its substantial gains of Thursday was disappointing to traders for long account, as business news and current appraisals of the near-term outlook appeared more or less favorable. Automobile assemblies showed a less than seasonal drop and, at the same time, it was officially reported that new car sales in February for 14 leading makes, were 28 per cent ahead of last year. Motor issues, however, acted much the same as other active descriptions, showing gains up to 2 o'clock and subsiding thereafter.

Steel Activity

Reports from the various steel centers pointed to the likelihood of a further small betterment in production schedules in the coming week. Most observers now agree that the industry, as a whole, is operating well in the black although a number of small companies are experiencing rough going due to competition which developed from change in basing point differentials. Steel common sold above 61 at its best for the day, but ended at 59½, off ¾. Bethlehem had a like experience, closing 1¼ off at 69⅞ after selling at 71⅛.

Stores reacted in the face of fairly good reports on current sales and profits as well as estimates that the movement of consumer goods which has been at relatively high levels for several months, still is upward. Studies of purchasing power factors, meanwhile, show no reason why retail sales should not conform to seasonal expectations over the next few months. Inventories, particularly of the department stores, are said to be unusually low.

Aviations, which competed with the steels and a few special issues in brief bursts of activity in the morning, were well represented among the 41 big board issues which went to new highs during the day. Directing attention to the aircrafts particularly were announcements of new orders for both domestic and foreign account. Prompt action by the House in approving the President's defense appropriation recommendations, would seem to indicate there will be no Congressional opposition of consequence to this part of the Roosevelt program. Spending in this connection doubtless will give added stimulus to some of the heavy industries.

Lockheed Expansion

It was not a surprise to Wall Street when Lockwood Aircraft gave notice of intention to offer 112,454 shares of common stock to augment working funds. The development, predicted earlier, goes to show it will be necessary for a number of the aeroplane manufacturers to enter the new capital market very soon.

Less encouraging to the buying side has been the action of carloadings in the last few weeks as well as inability of commodity prices to get out of the rut. If the unsatisfactory trend of carloadings continues it will provide something to worry about. Broad recovery, too, must include betterment in commodity quotations. The foreign situation is, of course, considered the most important single factor to be taken into consideration in estimating the future. The outlook overseas is obscured by as thick a fog as ever and whether totalitarian ambitions will be checked or accelerated by armament activity in Britain, France and this country is, so far, pure guesswork.

For this reason, business and financial groups are awaiting with trepidation the settlement of affairs in Spain and adjustment of Italy's claims in the Mediterranean and Africa. These same groups, incidentally, are expressing apprehension that the National Administration's policies may embroil the United States in disputes abroad which could be avoided. This feeling, if it spreads, may put a real brake on private business programs.

N. Y. Traction Bonds Strong

Small and irregular changes were recorded today in a dull listed bond market. United States Treasury issues lost small fractions, but the variations were unimportant. Best grade corporate bonds were well maintained, with the exception of General Motors Acceptance 3s, which dipped on unconfirmed rumors of a refunding in the speculative sections the gains and losses were equally small and numerous. Turnover was only $6,210,000.

Secondary rail liens merely idled at former levels, with half the issues up fractionally and the other half down as much. Borderline and default rails were in slightly better demand. The local traction group continued to surge forward into high ground for the year, and this section presented one of the few bright spots. Some of the speculative utility issues also were in demand, but holding company bonds and industrial convertibles were dull in general.

The foreign dollar division was quiet, with Italians and Japanese bonds lower on fears that a spring crisis may take place at the two ends of Eurasia. A few of the German municipal bonds rallied from recent lows, while Polish bonds were weak. Highest grade foreign bonds were steady, with London apparently buying on a modest scale. Latin-American default issues were quiet at previous figures.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Feb. 17.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were:

	Volume.	Close.	Net ch.
Loft, Inc.	25,900	9⅞	+ ⅛
Martin, G. L.	14,500	36⅞	— ⅛
Comi. Solvents	12,700	13⅛	— ⅛
U. S. Steel	12,200	59½	— ⅜
Cotr, Inc.	11,200	5⅜	— ⅛
General Motors	10,500	48⅜	— ⅜
No. Amer. Aviat.	10,200	18⅜	— ⅜
Cluett Peabody	9,300	28¾	+ ⅜
Beth. Steel	9,200	69⅞	+ ⅛
Callahan Zinc	9,200	1	....
Curtiss-Wright	9,000	7	....
Bendix Aviation	8,800	27⅛	— ⅛
Boeing Airp.	8,500	30¼	+ ⅜
Marshall Field	7,700	14⅜	— ⅛
U. S. Rubber	7,500	46	— ⅛

Volume, 15 stocks, 166,400 shares.
Ratio to total volume, 24.3 per cent.

Quaker Oats 1938 Profit Tops 1937 Net

$7.34 on the Common Compares With $4.40 In the Previous Year

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Quaker Oats Co. and subsidiaries reported today for 1938 consolidated net income of $6,237,405, after depreciation, taxes and other charges, but before adjustment to market of securities and foreign net current assets.

This was equal after preferred dividend requirements to $7.34 a share on 702,000 shares of common stock outstanding, and compared with net earnings of $4,167,046 in 1937, equal to $4.40 a common share.

Directors declared a regular quarterly dividend of $1.50 on the preferred stock, payable May 31 to stock of record May 1, and a regular quarterly of $1.25 on the common, payable March 25 to stock of record March 1.

Texas Corp.

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—Torkild Rieber, chairman of the Texas Corporation, Nation-wide oil distributor, with extensive production properties in Mid-Continent and other large fields, estimated the corporation and its subsidiaries earned in 1938 about $23,500,000, equal to approximately $2.15 a share on the capital stock, compared with $54,574,319, or $5.02 a share, in 1937.

Underwood Elliott

Underwood Elliott Fisher Co., manufacturer of office machines, reported today 1938 net income of $1,767,596, equal to $2.41 a share on the common stock, against $4,913,363, or $6.70 a share, in 1937. The company's main plants are at Hartford and Bridgeport, Conn.

Baltimore Con. Gas

Baltimore, Feb. 17 (AP).—The Consolidated Gas, Electric Light and Power Co. of Baltimore announced today earnings of $4.06 per share of common stock in 1938, compared to $4.63 in 1937.

Plane Orders Force Lockheed to Expand

By the Associated Press.

Plants for expansion of Lockheed Aircraft Corporation's manufacturing facilities, coincident with heavy warplane orders from abroad, was shown yesterday in a registration statement filed with the Securities Commission. The company, with headquarters in Burbank, Calif., gave notice of its intentions to issue and sell 112,454 shares of $1 par common stock. Proceeds will be used for construction and new equipment.

The company advised the commission that it is under contract to supply 175 Model-14 military planes to the British Air Ministry and may deliver up to 75 additional planes. Gross receipts from the 175-plane order were placed at at least $18,390,000, and receipts from the total contracts, including the additional 75 planes and spare parts are estimated at more than $27,000,000. The company, the statement added, also is under contract to build 50 Model-14 military planes for Australia at an estimated cost of $4,980,000. The minister of colonies for the Dutch East Indies has ordered ten Model-212 military planes and two passenger planes at a total cost of $712,158.

Beechnut Packing Co. Votes 25 Cents Extra

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—The Beechnut Packing Co., with plants at Canajoharie, N. Y. and Rochester, announced today an extra dividend of 25 cents a share on common stock, besides the regular quarterly of $1, both payable April 1 to holders of record March 10.

Lehn & Fink

Directors of the Lehn & Fink Products Corporation, manufacturer of pharmaceutical goods and cosmetics, declared a dividend of 25 cents a share on the capital stock, payable March 14 to holders of record March 1, compared with a payment of 75 cents in December and 30 cents last March.

New York Produce

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—EGGS—Receipts, 9,362; easier. Mixed colors, special packs, 20¼@21¼; standards, 19¾; firsts, 19; seconds, 18¼@18½; mediums, 18; dirties, No. 1, 18; average checks, 17@17¼. Refrigerator firsts, 18½. Whites, resale of premium marks, 24½@26½. Nearby, premium marks, 22½@23. Nearby and Midwestern, exchange specials, 21¼@21½. Midwestern, exchange standards, 20½. Nearby, fancy mediums, 19½@23. Nearby and Midwestern, exchange mediums, 18½@19. Pacific coast, jumbo and premiums, 28¾@33; specials, 27@27¾; standards, 25@25¾; mediums, 23@23½. Browns, extra fancy, 21¾@23¼. Nearby and Western, exchange specials, 21¼. Nearby, exchange mediums, 18¼. Duck eggs, fancy to extra fancy, 23@26.

POULTRY—Dressed, steady. Fresh and frozen prices unchanged. Live, by freight, firm. Chickens, Rocks, 20; colored, 17. Fowls, colored, 20; Leghorns, 16@17. Old roosters, 15. By express, about steady to firm. Broilers, Rocks, 18@20; Crosses, 16@18. Fowls, colored, 20; Leghorns, 17@19. Pullets, Rocks, 25@26; Crosses, large, 25@26; small to medium, 18@22; Reds, large, 26; small, 20. Old roosters, 15. Turkeys, hens, 32; young toms, 25. Ducks, 18.

BUTTER — Receipts, 661,248, weak. Creamery, higher than extra, 26½@27¼; extra, 92 score), 26@26½; firsts (88-91), 24½@26; seconds (84-87), 23½@24.

CHEESE—Receipts, 199,799, quiet. Prices unchanged.

SUGAR futures trade was dominated today by selling attributed to producers, while trade interests bought on the scale-down. Liquidation in the March contract and switching featured quiet trading in world futures. There was some Cuban selling. Raw sugars were steady with duty-free offerings in nearby positions held 2 points above the last sale price, or 2.77 cents. Cubas were reported available at 2.80 cents on a duty-paid basis. Refined continued quiet at 4.20@4.30.

COFFEE—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 8½; Santos No. 4, 7½@8. Cost and freight offerings included Santos Bourbon 3s and 5s at 6.60@7.25. Rio No. 7 "A" futures closed unchanged to 3 lower. Sales 250 bags. Santos No. 4 "D" futures closed 2@3 lower. Sales, 17,500 bags.

U. S. Treasury Receipts

By the Associated Press.

The position of the Treasury February 15:

Receipts, $8,657,114.35 expenditures, $15,002,472.09; net balance, $3,663,678,310.53, including $2,815,701,511.46 working balance; customs receipts for the month, $11,876,383.54.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1), $3,542,601,869.04; expenditures, $5,616,760,015.11, including $1,900,314,050.77 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $2,074,158,146.07; gross debt, $39,798,893,142.72, an increase of $35,948,145.38 above the previous day; gold assets, $14,771,808,786.91.

Naval Stores Firm

Savannah, Feb. 17 (AP).—Turpentine firm, 26¼; sales, 62; receipts, 11; no shipments; stock, 43,788. Rosin firm; sales, 81; receipts, 266; shipments, 50; stock, 301,617. Quote: B, 3.50; D, 3.75; E, 4.00; F, 4.25; G, 4.90; H, 5.07½; I, 5.10; K, 5.15; M, 5.20; N, 5.50; WG, 6.00; WW and X, 6.85.

Gold Imports Jump To $85,154,254

Gold imports jumped to $85,154,254 in the week ended February 10. The amount, the Commerce Department said yesterday, was about four times that of the preceding week and represented the first increase since the gold inflow from Europe started tapering off late in December. Imports in the week included $6,939,111 from the Netherlands; $74,781,511 from England; $1,767,951 from Mexico, and $725,667 from the Philippine Islands. The week's silver imports totaled $5,938,221, including $4,680,888 from England, and $598,147 from Mexico.

Steel Industry Budget for Year $126,000,000

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—The steel industry will spend about $126,000,000 on new construction and equipment in 1939, the American Iron & Steel Institute estimated today on the basis of reports from 150 companies representing more than 90 per cent of the industry's capacity. This compares with $165,000,000 so budgeted in 1938 and with $140,000,000 actually expended in that year.

In addition to the expansion programs covered in the 1939 estimates, said the institute, a number of companies indicated that certain additional projects now under consideration might be started in 1939 "if the business outlook improves sufficiently."

Construction spending by the industry has been declining since 1937 when it totaled $320,000,000, the institute said. The latest drop reflects "not only the generally unprofitable level of steel operations last year, but also the fact that most of the major plant expansion programs which have been in progress during the past several years have been completed or are nearing completion."

Including the proposed 1939 spending, the industry has laid out nearly a billion dollars for new equipment since 1934, according to the institute.

Cotton Higher; March at 8.44

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—Switching from near to distant positions provided the bulk of limited activity in today's cotton market. Besides transfer of positions on differences there was also further evening up of March accounts. Although this involved liquidation, the contract met support from covering operations and closed 4 points higher. Other deliveries were unchanged to 6 points up.

Futures Price Range

	Open	High	Low	Close	
March	8.42	8.44	8.41	8.44	+04
May	8.05	8.08	8.05	8.07	+05
July	7.78	7.82	7.78	7.81	+06
October	7.38	7.40	7.37	7.39	+03
December	7.38	7.40	7.36	7.37	....
January	7.40	7.40	7.38	7.38	—02

Spot, nominal; middling, 8.94.

Cottonseed Oil

A three-day boom in cottonseed oil futures fizzled out today and prices reacted to net losses of 8 to 13 points. Mildly active pressure followed an easier trend in lard. Sales totaled 241 lots. March closed, 6.78; May, 6.96; July, 7.05; September, 7.14; October, 7.15. Cash oil circles reported a slightly better demand. Crude was quoted 5¾@5¾ in the Southeast and Valley, and 5⅝@5¾ in Texas.

Money Markets

Foreign Exchange

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—Closing rates follow: Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Great Britain, 4.68¾; 60-day bills, 4.68⅛.

Demand Rates

Montreal in New York	99.93⅛	Yugoslavia	2.33
New York in Montreal	100.46⅞	Netherlands	53.62
Belgium	16.85	Norway	23.55
Czech.-Sk'ia	3.42¾	Poland	18.93
Finland	2.07	Portugal	4.26
Denmark	20.93	Rumania	.75
France	2.64	Sweden	24.16
Germany	40.14½	Switzerland	22.70
Benevolent	20.10	*Argentina	31.24
Travel	20.10	*Brazil	5.90
Greece	.86	*Mexico City	20.00
Hungary	19.85	Japan	27.34
Italy	5.26¼	Hongkong	29.15
		Shanghai	16.00

Rates in spot cables unless otherwise indicated.

*Nominal

Bar silver 42¾, unchanged.

London

Money ½ per cent. Discount rates: Short and 3-month bills ⅝ per cent.

Bar gold 148s 4½d, unchanged. (Equivalent $34.76.)

Bar silver 20¼d. up ⅛. (Equivalent 43.76 cents).

Paris

In the bourse 3 per cent rentes were 83.60 francs; 4½s "A" 87.75; 4½s 1937, 154.10.

Short Term Securities

(Reported by Robert C. Jones & Co., Inc.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Amer Tel & Tel 3½s, 1943	111¾	111⅞
Baldw Loco 5s, 1940	101	102
Baltimore & Ohio 4½s, 1939	50	50¾
Can Pac 4½s, 1946	98⅛	98¾
Comi Credit 2¾s, 1942	102¾	103
Del & Hudson 4s, 1943	57½	58⅛
Houston Oil 5½s, 1940	101½	101¾
Illinois Steel 4½s, 1940	104⅜	104½
Lac G L coll tr 6½ n. B, '42	41	49
Lehigh Val T Rwy 5s, 1941	57	62½
Louisv & Nash 4s, 1940	99¼	100
Mich Central 4s, 1940	91	92¾
N Y Tel Co 4½s, 1939	102¾	103⅜
Ohio Conn Rwy 4s, 1943	105	108
Penna R R Co 4s, 1943	107¾	109
Phila Balto & Wash 4s, 1943	108¾	109⅜
Union Oil Calif 6s, 1942	115¾	116⅜
Warner Bros 6s, 1939	95½	96½

Retail Trade Single Bright Spot in Week

Promotion Sales on Holiday Lift Volume To High for Year

By the Associated Press.

New York, Feb. 17.—Retail trade, Dun & Bradstreet said today, "was the only major business division to score a definite gain during the past week."

An important factor in the expansion, the review pointed out, was the good response by shoppers to the Lincoln's Birthday sales promotions, which lifted volume to "the highest for any single day so far this year."

"Freakish weather during the week," said the review, "made the day to day showing of most cities fairly irregular, although the total volume of sales for the full week generally showed a decided increase over the preceding period.

"Volume was still lower than last year in a number of cities, but on the average increases tended to outweigh losses, and the total for the whole country was estimated higher by 3 to 6 per cent.

Mail Orders

"Mail orders were more numerous than last week, but a drop in buyers' arrivals in central markets tended to curtail wholesale activity slightly. As seasonal winter business continued to taper off small reorders on new lines took up most of the slack.

"Although heavy reorder business would have to await the test of consumer acceptance, sellers appeared confident that this buying would develop somewhat earlier than usual, partly because of the early date of Easter, but mainly because of the light initial orders in relation to the current level of retail sales.

"The minor drop in wholesale sales during the week—estimated at no more than 2 per cent—failed to reduce the increase over a year ago, which remained between 5 and 15 per cent."

Bank Stocks

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—(Investment Bankers Conf., Inc.)

Bank and Trust	Bid.	Asked.
Bk of Am NTS (SF) (2.40)	33	35
Bank of Man (.80a)	16¼	17¾
Bank of N Y (14)	374	384
Bankers Tr (2)	50	52
Brooklyn Tr (4)	74	76
Cen Han Bk & Tr (4)	89½	92½
Chase Nat (1.40)	31¾	33⅜
Chem Bk & Tr (1.80)	44	46
Commercial (8)	160	166
Cont Bk & Tr (.80)	13¾	15¼
Corn Ex Bk & T (3)	82¼	83¼
Empire Tr (.60)	13½	14¾
First Nat (Bos) (2)	40¾	42¾
First Natl (100)	1670	1710
Guaranty Tr (12)	251	256
Irving Tr (.60)	10	11
Manufctrs Tr (2)	39	41
Manufrs Tr pf (2)	52	54
Natl City (1)	24½	26
N Y Trust (5)	94	97
Public (1½)	28¾	30¼
Title G & T	5¼	6¼
Insurance		
Aetna Cas (3a)	106½	110½
Aetna Ins (1.60)	45½	47¾
Aetna Life (1.20a)	28½	30
Am Equit (.20)	24¾	26¼
Am Ins Nk (½a)	13¼	14¾
Am Reins (1.60)	40	42
Am Reserve (1½)	27	28½
Am Surety (2½)	34¾	36¾
Automobile (1a)	32¾	34¾
Balt Amer (.20a)	6¼	7¼
Carolina (1.30)	25¾	27½
City of N Y (1.20)	22	23½
Conn Gen Life (.80)	26¾	28½
Contin Cas (1.20a)	33¼	35½
Fid & Dep (4a)	121½	125½
Firems Nk (.30)	9	10¼
Frank Fire (1a)	29¼	30¾
Gen Reinsur (1a)	41½	43¾
Glens Falls (1.60)	41	43
Globe & Rep (.15g)	12½	14
Globe & Rut	23	25½
Gt Amer Ins (1a)	25½	26¾
Hanover (1.60)	30½	32½
Hartford Fire (2)	74½	76¾
Home Fire Sec	1½	2¾
Home Ins (1a)	30¾	33¾
Homestead (1)	18½	19¾
Knickerbocker (.60)	10¼	11¾
Lincoln Fire	2	2¾
Maryland Cas	3¾	4¾
Mass Bond (3½)	59	61
Merc Ins Pr	4	6
Natl Fire (2)	59	61
Natl Liberty (.20a)	7½	8¼
N Hpshire (1.60a)	45¾	47
N Y Fire (1½)	17	18½
Nor River (1)	26½	28
Phoenix (2a)	77	81
Prov Wash (1a)	32¾	34¾
Rep Ins Co Tex (1.20)	25¾	27¼
Revere (P) In (1.20a)	24	25½
Rh Tel Ins	4	6
Rossia Ins	4¼	5¼
St Paul Fire (8)	223	238
Springfield (4½a)	120	123
Sun Life (15)	430	470
Travelers (16)	450	460
U S Fid & G (1½)	21¼	22½
U S Fire (2)	51½	53½
Westchester (1.20a)	33¾	35¾

(a) Also extra or extras.
(g) Declared or paid so far this year.
(e) Paid last year.

Foreign Markets

By the Associated Press.

London, Feb. 17.—Stock market traders were more cheerful today following the optimistic speeches made Thursday night by Chancellor of the Exchequer Simon and R. S. Hudson, secretary of the overseas trade department. Overnight firmness in Wall street also assisted in the marking up of prices. Buying was renewed in the industrial section, especially rayon, steel and tobacco shares. Rubber, metal and diamond issues also sold higher and British funds were active and firm. Transatlantics and German bonds were in demand.

Paris—International securities moved irregularly in the bourse today. Suez Canal gained 600 francs, while royal Dutch was narrowly off. Rentes closed with gains of 35 to 180 centimes and Bank of France was unchanged.

Liverpool—Wheat futures closed ⅛d higher to ¼d down in a quiet market today. Demand was slow and crop and weather reports were mixed. Cotton futures closed 7 points higher to 5 lower, with pronounced firmness in nearby positions, which were supported by local traders.

Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $6,209,000; previous day, $6,145,200; week ago, $4,869,500; year ago, $6,303,900; two years ago, $17,484,000; January 1 to date, $233,041,525; year ago, $256,894,850; two years ago, $562,746,000.

Range of United States Government Issues

(Sales in $1,000. Dollars and 32ds.)

1939 High	1939 Low	Feb. 17. Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Change.	Bid.	Ask.	Yield
110.8	109.22	2	Treasury 3⅛s, 1945-43	110.1	110.1	110.1	— .2	110.1	110.3	1.02
110.12	109.22	1	Treasury 3¼s, 1946-44	110.9	110.9	110.9	+ .1	110.7	110.9	1.18
114.28	114.17	8	Treasury 4s, 1954-44	114.28	114.27	114.27	+ .2	114.26	114.28	1.33
109.14	108.18	8	Treasury 3s, 1946-45	109.11	109.11	109.11	— .1	109.10	109.12	1.63
106.14	105.19	6	Treasury 2½s, 1951-48	106.14	106.11	106.11	— .2	106.11	106.13	1.97
109.26	109.2	3

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales yesterday, 682,010 shares; previous day, 852,060; week ago, 444,638; year ago, 768,970; two years ago, 2,726,990; January 1 to date, 33,482,758; year ago, 33,644,882; two years ago, 97,475,786.

1939 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—(Add 00)	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
		A					
11	8¾	Adams Exp. (.20e)	9	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	+ ⅛
65¾	54¼	Air Reduction (1a)	8	59½	58¾	59⅛	+ ⅛
1⅛	⅝	Air-Way El Appl	2	⅞	⅞	⅞	
10	9½	Alaska Juneau (1)	22	9⅝	9½	9½	
12¾	8¾	Alleghany pf xw	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
14⅞	10	Alleghany pf $30 ww	1	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
28⅛	20	Allegheny-Lud Stl	11	23½	23	23⅜	
11½	8¼	Allen Industries	2	9¼	9¼	9⅛	
193	170¼	Al Chem & Dye (6)	4	176	174	174	— ½
13⅜	11⅜	Allied Mills (¾e)	3	12⅞	12½	12½	— ⅜
11⅜	8⅜	Allied Strs	12	10	9⅝	9⅝	
48⅞	39½	Allis-Ch Mfg (1½)	10	42¾	42	42	— ¼
19⅜	15½	Alpha P Cem (¼g)	2	18½	18	18	
69½	61	Amerada Corp (2)	2	62½	62¼	62½	
17⅞	13¼	Am Bank Note (.20g)	4	15½	15	15	
8	5¾	Am Bosch	2	6¾	6½	6½	— ⅛
54½	42½	Am Brake Shoe (1)	5	45	44¾	44¾	
100¾	90½	Am Can (4)	3	91¾	90½	91	
178½	174¾	Am Can pf (7)	3	178½	175	175	— 3¼
35	24¼	Am Car & Fdy	10	29	28¼	28½	— ¼
55	41	Am Car & F pf (2½g)	5	45½	45	45½	+ 2
24	19	Am Ch & Cable (.70e)	5	20¾	20½	20½	— ¼
66	61	Am Chicle (¾g)	2	65	65	65	
3¾	2⅞	Am & For Pow	5	3⅛	3	3	
19⅞	15¾	Am & F P $7 pf	2	17½	17¼	17½	+ ⅛
9¾	7½	Am & F P 2 pf	2	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	— ⅛
15	13¼	Am-Hawaii SS (1)	2	14	13½	13⅞	— ⅛
6¼	4¾	Am Hide & Leather	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	
46	43¼	Am Home Pr (2.40)	2	44½	44¾	44½	
18¾	14½	Am Ice pf	1	18¼	18¼	18¼	
7¾	5	Am International	5	6½	6¾	6¾	
30¾	21½	Am Locomotive	8	25⅝	25¼	25¼	— ⅛
15⅝	13	Am M & Fdy (.80)	3	13⅞	13¾	13¾	
40¼	32	Am Metal (¼g)	9	34⅝	33⅞	34	+ ⅛
26	23	†Am News Co (¼g)	20	24¾	24¾	24¾	
7	5¾	Am Pow & Lt	11	6¾	6½	6½	— ⅛
48½	38	Am P&L $6 pf (¾k)	11	46	45	45⅝	— ⅛
43¾	32⅝	Am P&L $5 pf (¾k)	1	45¾	45¾	40	— ⅛
18⅝	14	Am Rad & St S	32	16¼	15¾	15⅞	— ⅛
22¾	16½	Am Roll Mill	10	18⅝	18½	18⅝	— ⅛
15¾	13¾	Am Safety Razor (1.60)	2	15	15	15	
20	15½	Am Seating (½e)	3	17¼	17	17	
34	13⅞	†Am Ship Bldg (2)	60	30½	30½	30½	+ ⅛
53¾	45¾	†Am Smelt & R (¼g)	10	44¾	44¼	44¼	— ⅛
134	129¼	Am Smelt & R pf (7)	1	129½	129½	129½	— 1⅜
44½	40	Am Snuff Co (3a)	2	63	63	63	
41	29¼	Am Stl Fdrs	11	34½	33½	33½	— ⅛
11¾	9¼	Am Stores	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
32½	19¼	Am Suger Ref	2	20¼	20¼	20¼	
18½	18	Am Sumat Tob (1a)	3	18	18	18	
158½	149¼	Am Tel & Tel (9)	10	158½	157¾	157¾	— ⅛
87½	80¼	Am Tobacco (5)	1	83	83	83	
89¾	82¼	Am Tob B (5)	3	86	85¾	86	— ⅛
153	147	Am Type Fdrs (6)	2	151¾	150½	150½	— 1⅛
8¾	5¾	Am Type Fdrs	2	6½	6⅝	6⅝	
11¾	8¼	Am Wat Wks	17	13	13	13	— ⅛
90	82	Am W W 1 pf (6)	1	88	88	88	— 2
6¾	3	Am Woolen	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	
43⅞	36	Am Woolen pf	2	38¾	38½	38¾	
7¾	5¾	Am Zinc L&S	2	6¾	6⅝	6⅝	+ ⅛
36¾	28	Anaconda (⅓g)	48	29¼	28¾	28⅝	— ⅛
54⅞	45	Anacon W&C	1	48¾	48¾	48¾	— ⅛
20¼	17	Anchor Hock Gl (.45e)	7	17⅞	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
103½	101	Armour Del pf (7)	1	101	101	101	
6¼	5	Arm Ill	12	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
88	45½	Armstrong Cork (¼g)	4	48¾	48	48¼	— ⅜
11¾	9¾	Arnold Const (¼g)	5	11⅞	11	11¾	— ⅛
10⅜	8	Artloom Corp	1	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
104	90	Asad Dry Goods	7	91	90	90	— ½
94	90	†Assoc Inv pf ww (5)	10	94	94	94	— 1
42⅞	31½	Atch T&SF	12	35¾	34¾	34¾	— 1⅛
69⅛	59¼	Atch T&SF pf (1g)	1	64½	64½	64½	
32¾	28	Atl Coast Line	1	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	+ ⅛
23⅝	21¾	Atl Refining (1)	8	23¼	23⅛	23⅛	
8⅞	7⅞	Atlas Corp (½e)	3	8	8	8	
127	122	†Atlas Pow pf (5)	1	126¾	126¼	126⅝	+ ⅛
4¼	3⅜	Auburn Auto	1	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
8¼	6¼	Aviation Corp (.18½e)	28	7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
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17⅜	12⅜	Bald Loco ct	11	14⅜	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
8⅜	6½	Balt & Ohio	9	6¾	6½	6½	— ⅛
10⅝	6⅜	Balt & Ohio pf	1	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
30½	20½	Bangor & Ar (2½)	3	22¾	22	22¼	— 1⅛
84¼	70	†Bangor & Ar pf (5)	10	73	73	73	+ 1
19¼	15	Barber Asph	1	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
13	9½	Barker Bros	4	9⅝	9½	9½	
19⅝	15⅞	Barnsdall Oil (1)	31	16	15¾	15¾	+ ⅛
20⅝	18	Bayuk Cigar (¾a)	6	19½	19½	19½	
19¼	17½	Beatrice Cream (1a)	1	19¼	19¼	19¼	
123	111	Beech-Nut Pack (4a)	1	122	122	122	— 1¼
29¾	22¾	Bendix Aviat	88	28	27⅞	27⅞	+ ⅛
20	18¾	Benef Ind Ln (1.65e)	2	20	20	20	
80	60¼	Beth Steel	92	71¼	69½	69¾	— ¼
115	106¼	Beth Steel 7% pf (7)	1	113¾	113¾	113¾	+ 1¼
22½	17½	Black & Decker (¾g)	1	19	19	19½	+ ⅛
24¾	17¾	Blaw-Knox	9	34⅜	33¾	34	+ ⅛
43½	43	†Blumenthal (8) pf	20	43	43	43	— ¾
34¾	24½	Boeing Airplane	85	30⅝	29⅞	30¼	+ ⅛
28½	22¼	Bohn Al & Brass (½e)	2	24½	24	24	
18⅜	16⅝	Borden Co (.30e)	31	18⅜	18¾	18⅞	+ ⅛
28⅜	23⅝	Borg-Warner (¼e)	9	28	27⅝	28¼	+ ⅛
7¾	6	Brewing Corp Am (.30e)	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	
15⅜	11½	Bridgeport Brass	9	13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	
31½	22½	Briggs Mfg (1e)	33	26¼	25¼	25½	— ⅛
39¾	34½	Briggs & Strat (3)	1	35½	35½	35½	
30	25	Bklyn & Q Trans pf	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	
13	10¾	Bklyn-Man Tr	21	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
42	37⅛	Bklyn-M Tr pf	19	41¾	40¾	40⅞	+ ⅛
19⅜	15⅜	Bklyn Un Gas	5	18¼	17½	17½	
36	31½	Brown Shoe (1½g) XD	1	34	34	34	+ 1
13¾	10¾	Brunswick-Balke (1e)	2	11¾	11¼	11¾	
13½	10	Bucyrus-Erie	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	
98	96	†Bucy-Erie 7% pf (7)	50	98	98	98	
8	6	Budd Mfg	17	6¾	6¾	6¾	
55½	42¼	†Budd Mfg pf	50	48½	47	47	
3	2¼	Budd Wheel	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	
30	23¼	Bullard Co	1	27¾	27¼	27¾	
32¾	24¾	Bulova Watch (2)	5	31	30	30	+ ¼
18¾	15⅞	Burr Add Mach (.10e)	5	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	
2	1⅞	Bush Terminal	1	2	2	2	
12¾	10	†Bush Term Bldg pf ct	20	11	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
17¾	13¾	Butler Bros (.75e)	1	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
22¼	21¾	Butler Bros pf (1½)	2	22¼	22	22¼	
4	3½	Butte Cop & Zinc	6	3½	3⅜	3½	
37	29¾	†Byers (AM) pf	10	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
14⅜	10¾	Byron Jackson (¼g)	3	15	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
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18	15¾	Calif Packing	3	17	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
2¼	⅞	Callahan Z-Lead	92	1	1	1	
8¾	6½	Calumet & Hec (¼e)	9	7	6⅞	6⅞	
17	13	Can Dry G Ale (¼e)	6	18⅜	18	18	— ⅛
5¾	4¾	Canad Pacific	6	5	5	5	— ⅛
42¼	40¾	†Capital Ad pf A (3)	30	42½	42½	42½	+ 1½
20½	17	Carpenter Stl (.40)	2	18¾	18	18	— ⅛
3⅞	3⅛	Carriers & Gen (.05g)	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
94¾	82	Case (J I) Co (3e)	3	88	87½	88	+ 1
122	116	†Case (J I) pf (7)	30	121½	121½	121½	+ 1¼
87¾	71	Caterpil Tractor (2)	6	87	86¾	87	+ ⅛
24¾	17¾	Celanese Corp	9	20¾	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
94	89	Celanese pr pf (7)	1	89	89	89	
19¼	14¼	Celotex Corp	11	17½	16⅞	16⅞	— ¼
22½	20½	Cent Aguirre (1½)	2	21	20½	20½	— ⅛
4¾	3¾	Cent Foundry	4	4¼	4	4	
52½	30½	Cerro de Pas (1a)	3	43	43	43	
13	9¾	Certain-teed Prod	6	10¾	10½	10½	+ ⅛
32	23½	Champ Pap & F	7	29½	28½	29½	+ 1
36½	31	Ches & Ohio (1½g)	23	35½	35	35¼	+ ¼
24⅝	19¾	Ches Corp (½g)	6	21½	21¼	21¼	— ⅜
3¾	2¼	Chi & E Ill pf	2	2½	2½	2½	+ ⅛
32¾	27	†Chi & N Western	3	31	31	31	
3½	2¼	Chi & N West pf	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	
3½	2⅜	Chi Grt W pf	5	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
1¼	⅜	Chi M St P & P pf	1	⅜	⅜	⅜	
20¼	15	Chi Pneu Tool	6	17	16⅞	16⅞	+ ⅛
⅞	⅞	Chi R I & Pac pf	2	⅞	⅞	⅞	
1⅛	1	C R I & Pac 7% pf	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	
13¼	9¾	Childs Co	8	11¼	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
32	30	†Chile Cop (½g)	30	31	31	31	— 1⅛
84	66¼	Chrysler Corp (1g)	60	77¾	76½	76¾	— ⅝
24½	18½	Clark Equip	1	21¼	21¼	21¼	
115	111	†Clev Elec Illum pf (4½)	50	113	113	113	
28½	24	Clev Graph Br (1e)	1	28	28	28	+ ⅛
60½	50	Climax Molyb (1.20a)	10	53¼	51	51	— 2¼
29¾	23¾	Cluett Peabody (.85e)	93	29⅝	28¼	28¾	+ ⅛
132	127¼	†Cluett Peabody pf (7)	10	131½	131½	131½	
19¾	18¾	Colgate-Palm-P (½)	15	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	
104	101¾	Colgate-Palm-P pf (6)	2	103	103	103	— 1
29¾	25	Collins & Aik (¼g)	4	29½	29	29	+ ⅛
108	104	†Collins & Aik pf (5)	1	104	104	104	+ ½
9¾	6½	†Col & South 1 pf	10	7	7	7	
23¾	16¾	Col Fuel & Iron	2	19	19	19	— ⅛
9	6¾	Colum G & E	43	8¾	7¾	7¾	
88¾	74½	Col G&E pf A (6)	2	86¾	86	86¾	+ 1¼
15⅝	11	Colum Pict vtc (2½g ct)	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	+ ⅛
57	46	Comi Credit (4)	2	53¾	53⅜	53¾	+ ⅜
60	49½	Comi Invest Tr (4)	6	56⅛	55½	55½	— ⅜
13⅜	10¾	Comi Solvents	1	12⅞	12⅝	12⅝	— ⅛
2	1⅛	Comwith & South	13	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	
63½	45¾	Com & South pf (2½k)	11	61⅜	60½	60¾	— ⅛
28	26¾	Comwith Eds (1.60)	64	28	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
30⅝	24¾	Consoleum-Nairn (¼g)	11	26¾	26¼	26¼	+ ⅛
23¾	21¼	Consol Aircr (.25)	11	21¾	21¼	21¼	
86	82½	†Con Cig pr pf (6½)	30	85	85	85	— 1
34⅜	29¼	Cons Edison (2)	50	33¾	32⅝	32⅞	— ⅛
103⅜	101¼	Cons Edison pf (5)	12	103⅞	103¾	103¾	
11¾	9	†Consol Film Ind pf (¼k)	2	11	11	11	
6¼	5¾	Cons Laundries	1	6⅛	6	6	— ⅛
9⅛	8	Consol Oil (.80)	26	8¼	8⅛	8⅛	
3	2¾	Consoln Coal	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
13	12⅜	Container Corp	3	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
20¾	16	Cont Bak A	10	19¾	19	19	
2	1½	Cont Bak B	1	2	2	2	
98	89	Cont Bak pf (8)	5	98	97¾	97¾	+ ⅛
44	38	Cont Can (½g)	7	39½	39¼	39½	+ ⅛
115¼	113	Cont Can pf (4½)	2	114	114	114	
34½	32	Cont Ins (1.60a)	4	34¾	34¼	34¼	+ ⅛
4	3¾	Cont Motors	29	3¼	3¼	3¼	
31½	26¼	Cont Oil Del (¼g)	14	27¼	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
29¼	21	Cont Steel (1e)	1	26¼	26¼	26¼	+ ⅛
54¾	49	†Corn Exchange (3)	90	52¾	52	52¾	+ ⅜
17½	173	Corn Products pf (7)	2	173	173	173	— 1
8	3⅜	Coty Inc	112	6	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
38	28¾	Crane Co	18	31¾	30¾	31⅛	+ ⅛
110	99¼	Crane Co cv pf (5)	6	102	101¾	101¾	+ ⅛
29	26¾	Cream of Wh (2)	1	28¼	28¼	28¼	+ ⅛
41½	31	Crown Cork & S	3	33½	32¾	33	— ⅛
35	33	Crown Ck pf xw (2¼)	1	33½	33½	33½	
14¾	12	Crown Zellerbach (¼g)	4	12½	12⅜	12½	+ ⅛
47¾	34½	†Crucible Steel	12	41¼	40	40¼	— ⅜
65¾	59¼	†Cuban-Am S pf (2e)	20	60	60	60	— 2¾
16	13¾	Cudahy Pack	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
48	40	Curtis Pub pf (¼k)	7	41¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
7½	5½	Curtiss-Wright	90	7	6⅞	6⅞	
28¾	21¾	Curtiss-Wr A (1e)	23	27¼	27¼	27¼	
24½	18½	Cutler-Hammer	2	21½	21¼	21½	— ⅛
		D					
6⅝	5¼	Davega Stores	1	5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛
8⅞	6¾	Davison Chem	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
27	17	Deere & Co (1.35e)	7	19⅝	19⅜	20	+ ⅛
26	23¾	Deere & Co pf (1.40)	1	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ⅛
15⅝	12¾	Del-Wem-Gil (1⅛e)	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	
25¼	18¼	Del & Hudson	8	20	19⅝	19⅞	— ⅛
8¼	6	Del Lack & West	2	6¾	6¼	6¼	
118½	113¼	Detroit Edison (2g)	1	118½	118½	118½	— ½
32¾	27	†Devoe & Raynolds A	20	28¼	28¼	28¼	
44	40¾	Diam Match pf (1½)	2	41	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
9⅜	7	Diam T Motor	7	7¾	7¾	7¾	
20	15⅜	Distil Corp-Seag (2)	6	18⅜	18¾	18⅜	
22¼	15½	Doehler Die Cas	2	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	
33½	30¼	Dome Mines (2)	3	31¾	31¾	31¾	
6	5½	Dominion Stores	1	6	6	6	
78¾	62¼	Douglas Aircraft (3e)	37	74¾	73¼	73¼	— 3
114¾	104½	Dow Chem (3)	1	115	115	115	— 3
11¼	8½	Dresser Mfg	1	9¾	9¼	9¼	
19¾	11½	Drug Inc	11	13½	12¾	13¾	
136¾	102	Du Pont de N (3½e)	12	150¼	149¾	150	+ ¼
118	115¼	†Du Light 1 pf (5)	1.20	118	117½	117½	— ½
		E					
16½	13	Eastern Air L	34	15¼	14⅝	15⅛	+ ⅛
171	171	Eastman Kodak (6)	3	174¾	174¼	174¾	+ ⅜
25½	20	Eaton Mfg (½g)	9	24¾	24	24	
3⅝	2¾	Ellington Schild	1	3	2¾	2¾	
2	2	El & Mus Ind (.40e)	18	2⅛	2	2⅛	+ ⅛
34½	26½	El Auto Lite (1e)	11	32½	31½	31½	— 1
22½	17½	Elec Boat (.60e)	12	19⅜	19	19⅛	+ ⅛
12¾	9¾	El Power & Lt	16	11	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
38	30	El Pow & Lt $6 pf	2	33½	33½	33½	
41½	34½	El Pow & Lt pf	12	38¾	37¾	37¾	— ⅛
30½	28¾	El Storage Bat (2)	2	30	30	30	+ ⅛
1¾	1⅜	Elk Horn Coal	1	1½	1½	1½	
31¾	28	El Paso Nat Gas (2)	10	31	30¾	31	+ ⅛
106½	106½	†Endicott-John pf (5)	20	106¾	106¾	106¾	+ ⅛
10¾	8¾	Eng Pub Service	34	10¼	9⅞	10	
1⅝	1⅜	Equit Off Bldg	2	1½	1⅜	1⅜	
2¼	1½	Erie R R	2	1¾	1⅜	1⅜	
8¼	4	Eureka V Cleaner	4	5¼	5	5	— ⅛
13	9¼	Evans Products	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛

Dow-Jones Averages

By the United Press.

New York, Feb. 17.

Stocks—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	145.72	146.03	144.69	144.95	—0.44
20 rails	30.51	30.63	30.24	30.31	—0.09
15 utilities	23.44	23.49	23.00	23.07	—0.27
65 stocks	49.11	49.23	48.58	48.78	—0.19

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	77,900
Rails	26,300
Utilities	40,700
Total	144,900

Commodities Range

	Yester-day.	Prev. day.	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Cotton, New York (March)	8.44	8.40	8.40	8.41	8.96
Wheat, Chicago (May)	67⅞	67¾	67½	68⅝	94
Corn, Chicago (May)	48⅞	49¼	48¼	52½	60⅝
Oats, Chicago (May)	28½	28⅝	27¾	29	31⅛
Cattle, choice steers, Balto	9.50	9.50	10.00	10.00	8.00
Hogs, choice, Baltimore	8.65	8.65	8.55	8.25	9.90
Lambs, Choice, Baltimore	10.20	10.20	10.25	10.25	8.75
Eggs, special, New York	24.50	24.75	26.25	26.50	24.00
Butter, creamery, New York	26.50	26.50	26.50	26.50	31.00
Flour, New York	5.15	5.15	5.15	5.20	6.65
Coffee, New York	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.75
Raw sugar, New York	2.77	2.75	2.85	2.85	3.17
Bar Steel, Pittsburgh	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.45
Rubber, New York	16.18	16.10	15.47	16.01	14.95
Pig iron	21.00	21.00	21.00	21.00	24.00
Tin	45¾	45.10	45.60	46.50	41⅝
Copper electrolytic	11.25	11.25	11.25	11.25	10.00
Bar gold, London (s)	34.76	34.77	34.76	34.76	35.22
Bar silver, New York	42.25	42.25	42.25	42.25	44.75
Zinc, East St. Louis	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.75
Lead, New York	4.75	4.75	4.85	4.85	4.90

1939 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—(Add 00)	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
24½	18½	Ex-Cell-O (.60e)	16	22½	22	22	
		F					
43⅞	35	Fairbanks Morse	1	39¼	39¼	39¼	+ ⅜
29½	24½	Fajardo Sugar (½g)	3	24¾	24½	24½	— ⅛
102	97	Fed Mng & Smelt	1	97	97	97	— 5
6	4¼	Fed Mot Truck	2	4¾	4¼	4½	— ⅜
1⅝	⅞	Fed Wat Svc A	1	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	
25⅞	21	Federat D Strs (1g)	2	24	23¾	24	+ 2⅛
34⅜	32¼	Fid P Fire Ins (1.60a)	8	34	33¾	34	+ ⅛
24¾	19¾	Firestone T & R (¼g)	7	22⅝	22½	22½	+ ⅛
48¾	41¾	First Nat Strs (¼g)	10	48¼	47⅝	47⅝	— ⅛
31¾	24¼	Flintkote (.80e)	10	28¼	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
3¼	2⅜	Follansbee Bros	3	2¾	2¾	2¾	
35⅝	29	Food Machinery (1)	3	30⅜	30	30⅜	+ ⅛
108½	104	†Food Mach pf (4½)	90	106	105	106	
29¾	22	Foster Wheeler	6	25¼	25	25	
30	19¾	Freeport Sulph (¼g)	3	23¾	23½	23½	
		G					
2⅝	1⅞	Gabriel Co A	1	2	2	2	— ⅛
13	10½	Gair (Robert) pf	1	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
18½	15	Gar Wood Ind	1	15¾	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
18½	16	Gaylord Cont (1)	3	16½	16½	16½	
52	48¼	Gaylord Cont pf (2¼)	1	48¼	48¼	48¼	— 1¾
60½	50	Gen Am Trans (2¼e)	3	55¾	55¾	55¾	+ ⅛
10⅝	8½	Gen Baking (.80e)	17	10½	10⅜	10⅜	
18	13	Gen Cable	9	15½	15	15	— ⅛
35	25¾	Gen Cable A	1	30½	30¼	30¼	
44¾	37¼	Gen Elec (.90e)	71	40¾	40½	40½	— ⅛
40⅜	36⅜	Gen Foods (2)	26	40	39¾	39¾	+ ⅛
1¼	⅞	Gen G & El A	2	⅞	⅞	⅞	
78	72½	Gen Mills (3)	1	76½	76½	76½	
177	122½	†Gen Mills pf (6)	10	125	125	125	
51	42½	Gen Motors (¾g)	105	49½	48¼	48¾	— ⅛
125¼	123¼	Gen Motors pf (5)	2	125	124¾	125	
6¾	5¼	Gen Out Advert	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	
10⅞	8¾	Gen Print Ink (.10g)	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	+ ⅛
2	1¼	Gen Pub Service	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	
28	19½	Gen Ry Signal	5	22¾	22½	22½	— ⅛
1	¾	Gen Real & Util	8	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	
18¾	17¾	Gen Real & Util pf	8	18¼	17⅞	17⅞	
41	29	Gen Refract	3	33½	32¾	32¾	
23¾	23¾	†Gen Steel Cast pf	2	26	26	26	
13½	11½	Gen Thea

Order Classified Ads Before 4 P.M. for the Sunday Post

Arlington Auto License Offices Moved

Division to Operate In Kelley Building At Clarendon

ARLINGTON COUNTY
BUREAU OF THE POST.
Clarendon, Va., Tel. OXford 0500

The State division of motor vehicles has moved its offices from the Arlington Courthouse to the Kelley Building at Clarendon.

Drivers' permits will be issued each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. by State Officer Sam Snead.

The 1939 automobile license tags will go on sale from the Kelley Building beginning March 15. All drivers' permits must be renewed before June 30 and applications for renewals will be sent out with the application blanks for tags from the Richmond office.

Primary Set August 1

Clarendon.—The Arlington County Democratic executive committee meeting last night voted to hold a primary Tuesday, August 1, for all State and county offices. All candidates must file their intentions with the committee on or 60 days prior to the primary date.

Plan Spring Carnival

Clarendon—The retail merchants committee of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce last night discussed plans for a spring carnival in the later part of April.

The plans will be submitted to the monthly membership meeting February 27 at 8 p. m.

Ballston Services

Ballston—Services at the Ballston Baptist Church tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock will be conducted by the Rev. Owen P. Lloyd. His text will be "Jesus at Jacob's Well." At the evening service he will speak on "True Discipleship."

Grove Warns on "Isms"

Ballston.—Addressing the Parent-Teacher Association of Washington-Lee High School, Thursday night, on "Americanism," George B. Grove, president of the Arlington County Bar Association and member of the American Legion said:

Exponents of subversive philosophies are becoming exceedingly active in Virginia and it is imperative that the American Legion organize to combat what those with alien "isms" are doing to overcome Americanism.

"There is a decided lack of the brand of patriotism that was exhibited by such courageous leaders as Washington, Franklin, Henry, Jefferson and Lincoln.

"Would that we had time to read some of the patriotic utterances of the 'Great Emancipator' set down in his inaugural address.

"Few of us today have convictions as strong as those distinguished men. And how many of us would be so bold in asserting our Americanism. I like a militant, glamorous, enthusiastic Americanism."

What's Going On And Where

Luncheons

Massachusetts Society of Washington, Harrington Hotel, 1:15 p. m.

Dinners

Society, A. E. F., Hamilton Hotel, 8:30 p. m.

Washington and Lee Alumni, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p. m.

George Washington University Medical Society, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p. m.

Charlotte Hall Alumni Association, Mayflower Hotel, 7 p. m.

North Carolina Democratic Club, Raleigh Hotel, 7 p. m.

Education Association, Willard Hotel, 7 p. m.

Meetings

Wage and Hour Hearing, Raleigh Hotel, 10 a. m.

Texas Oil Co., Raleigh Hotel, 10 a. m.

Federation of Citizens Associations, Board Room of District Building, 8 p. m.

Dances

Progressive Club, Peoples Life Insurance, Willard Hotel, 9 p. m.

Notre Dame Alumni Club, Hay-Adams House, 9 p. m.

Sigma Epsilon Sorority, Carlton Hotel, 10 p. m.

Hope and Mount Pleasant Chapters, O. E. S., Wardman Park Hotel, 9 p. m.

New York State Society, Shoreham Hotel, 9 p. m.

Vermont State Society, Washington Club, 9 p. m.

Cocktail party, Phi Sigma Epsilon Sorority, Wardman Park Hotel, all day.

Vital Statistics

Births

Joseph and Eudora Miller, girls (twins), Armistead and Elizabeth Boothe, girl.
Rosello and Isabel Alcantara, boy.
Stephen and Lida Rice 3rd, boy.
Robert and Cynthia Pierce, boy.
Bernard and Rose Grant, girl.
Harry and Esther Hansen, girl.
David and Doris Hunter, boy.
Carl and Helen McIntire, boy.
Erwin and Harriett Richitt, boy.
John and Ruth Rakin, girl.
Bernard and Sara Axelrod, boy.
Frank and Mary Antipas Arvold, boy.
James and Loretta Howard, boy.
Herman and Lila Lee Tickel, girl.
William and Beatrice Stratton, girl.
Harold and Dorothy Gladd, boy.
William and Florence Pearson, boy.
Jerome and Katherine Morley, boy.
Constantine and Eula Fiytnick, boy.
Louis and Beatrice Cockrell, girl.
Washington and Hallie Hawkins, girl.
Charles and Isabelle Wallace, boy.
Israel and Grace Fox, boy.
Henry and Martha Mayo, boy.
William and Mary Proctor, boy.
Robert and Mary Green, girl.
Leaton and Ocea Coltrane, girl.
Joseph and Gladys Vanison, girl.
Everett and Dorothy Steed, girl.
John and Louise Carter, boy.
George and Alberta Ware, boy.
Louis and Almeda Holloway, boy.
John and Andrena Twyman, girl.
Charles and Wilhelmena Robinson, girl.

Deaths

Susanna Jones, 89, 25 7th st. ne.
Frank C. Perter, 83, 920 10th st. ne.
George H. Hooper, 82, 2630 Wis. ave. nw.
Sophie Raymond Thomas, 82, 3105 19th st. nw.
William Elliott, 80, Providence Hospl.
Blanca M. Pessinger, 80, St. Elis. Hospl.
Minnie B. Cady, 79, 1115 E st. ne.
Norman Longfellow, 74, Gallinger Hospl.
Mary C. Haley, 73, 1328 East Capitol st.
Maria R. D. Tangora, 70, 4502 15th st. nw.
Frank Conway, 69, 3720 Upton st. nw.
Belle Curtis, 69, 906 I st. se.
Nelson Duval Brecht, 52, Emer. Hospl.
Frank Keely, 47, Casualty Hospl.
Gladys Hartman, 38, Gallinger Hospl.
Forest E. Chappell, 35, U. S. Naval Hospl.
May Baker Matheny, 32, 1767 Lanier pl. nw.
Harry Lee Updike, Jr., 15, 4919 Rock Creek Church rd.
Francis Paul, 15, Gallinger Hospl.
Lucy H. Jordan, 91, 614 M st. se.
George Norris, 81, St. Elis. Hospl.
Richard Brown, 78, Gallinger Hospl.
Mack Henry Thompson, 70, 919 45th pl. ne.
Aaron Cooper, 64, 1720 Florida ave. nw.
John Walburs, 62, Walter Reed General Hospl.
Eliza Louise Butler, 55, 1205 Sixth st. nw.
Anderson Benner, 43, 1717 Seaton st. nw.
Florence Baxter, 39, Gallinger Hospl.
Mary G. Covington, 31, Gallinger Hospl.
James Glenn, 39, Gallinger Hospl.
Cora Lee Watson, 38, Freedmen's Hospl.
George Ellis, 28, Gallinger Hospl.
Martin Randall, 23, St. Elis. Hospl.
Helen G. Gearis Williams, 24, Freedmen's Hospl.
Moiseee C. Washington, 23, Walter Reed General Hospl.

Governor Names Utility Official

Boston, Feb. 17 (AP).—Successfully carrying out one of his major inaugural objectives, Gov. Leverett Saltonstall (Republican), today reorganized the Massachusetts Unemployment Commission and placed an industrial executive at its head.

The Governor named as director of the commission J. Edwin Doyle, supervisor of personnel in the General Electric Co.'s West Lynn plant, who obtained a leave of absence "to get things working well."

Farms, Labor, Industry Urged To Co-operate

Miss Perkins Cites Wage La was Step In Right Direction

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Des Moines, Iowa, Feb. 17.—Spokesmen for agriculture, labor and industry agreed at the opening sessions of the National Farm Institute here today that only co-operation by all three groups in attacking the Nation's major economic problems could preserve our democratic form of government.

The speakers disagreed, however, when they discussed a specific economic program.

Secretary of Labor Perkins told the institute a boost in the purchasing power of th elow income groups of the country would solve the Nation's economic problems and cited the wage-hour law as a step in th eright direction.

"If only a dollar a month is added to the income of the very lowest groups, in th enext few years, sales of goods in our country will be lifted to levels heretofore never attained," she said.

Chester C. Davis, a member of the board of governors of the Federal Reserve Bank, and Paul G. Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Automobile Corporation, criticized the increasing trend toward price-fixing in the industrial field, by Government sanction or otherwise.

Davis, former administrator of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, expressed doubt price-fixing in agriculture would bring the desired or promised relief to the farmer if practices of corporate industry and of organized labor continue.

Industry should look for profits in increased production rather than in higher prices, he said, while labor should concentrate on obtaining a high annual wage through steady production rather than the highest attainable hourly wage for a minimum of production.

1812 Society to Meet

The War of 1812 Society will gather tonight at the Cosmos Club to hear Col. George C. Ijams, assistant administrator of the Veterans' Administration, speak.

Transfers

Army

LIEUTENANT COLONELS
Lloyd A. Bennett, Inf., St. Louis, Mo., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Inc.
Charles M. Cowherd, V. C., Fort Hoyle, Md., to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.
Ford Richardson, Inf., Clarksburg, W. Va., to St. Louis, Mo.

MAJORS
A. Franklin Kibler, F. A., Fort Bragg, N. C., to Washington, D. C.
Fred G. Miller, S. C., Fort Monmouth, N. J., to Fort Hayes, Ohio.
Charles P. Perrin, F. A., Newport, R. I., to Princeton, N. J.

CAPTAINS
Homer W. Kiefer, F. A., Maxwell Field, Ala., to Princeton, N. J.
Benjamin A. Strickland, jr., M. C., Edgewood Arsenal, Md., to Washington, D. C.

FIRST LIEUTENANTS
Gerald J. Higgins, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Moultrie, S. C.
Walter A. Huntsberry, Inf., Fort Bennington, Ga., to Fort Hamilton, N. Y.
Thomas F. Wall, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Niagara, N. Y.
John E. Leary, Inf., Fort Benning, Ga., to Fort Sam Houston, Tex.
Thomas J. O'Connor, Inf., Fort Bennington, Ga., to Fort Houston, Tex.

SECOND LIEUTENANT
Ethel E. Taylor, A. N. C., El Paso, Tex., to home (retired).

Navy

CAPTAIN
Frederick C. Sherman, det. Cdr. Patrol Wing 3; continue trtmt. (Canal Zone).

COMMANDERS
Watson O. Bailey, det. CO, USS Craven abt 15 June; to Navy Yard, Pearl Harbor, T. H.
Gail Morgan, det. CO, Fit. Air Base, Coco Solo, CZ, in Feb.; to duty as Cdr. Patrol Wing 3; & addl. duty as CO, Fleet Air Base, Coco Solo, C. Z.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS
Kenneth C. Caldwell, det. CO, USS Boses abt 1 May; to Office of Judge Adv. Genl., Navy Dept., Washington, D. C.
John H. Cassady, det. Asst. Nav. Attache, American Embassy, Rome, Italy, in May; to cfo USS Wasp & on bd. as air officer when commissioned.
Thomas J. Haffey, det. Off. in Chge. Br. Hydro, Office, Detroit, Mich., on 1 May; to home & wait orders; & addl. duty.
Harry J. Hansen, det. USS Antares abt 20 June; to Navy Yard, Olongapo, PI, as capt. of the Yard.
William M. Hobby, jr., det. Naval Academy in 1 May; to Div. Cfo, USS Anderson & in command when commissioned.
Gerald U. Quinn, det. USS Concord; to trtmt Naval Hosp., Wash., D. C.
Thomas M. Stokes, det. staff, Cdr. Dest. Flotilla 1; to Bu Engr., Navy Dept.
De Forest L. Trautman, det. Receiving Sta., Navy Yard, Phila., Pa., abt. 1 June; to USS Hewitt as executive officer.

LIEUTENANTS
John C. Alderman, det. VCS-7 (USS Vincennes) in June; to Nav. Air Sta, Anacostia, D. C.
Lex L. Black, det. VB-5 (USS Yorktown) in June; to Nav. Air Sta., Pensacola, Fla.
Francis L. Busey, det. Patrol Sqdn. 12 in May; to Nav. Proving Ground, Dahlgren, Va.
DeVere L. Day, det. USS Saratoga in June; to VS-41 (USS Ranger).

LIEUTENANT (JG)
William A. Stuart, det. VO-1 (USS Nevada) in June; to Nav. Air Sta. Pensacola, Fla.

ENSIGNS
Harry B. Hahn, ors. 3 Jan. revoked; continue USS New Orleans.
Oliver M. Ramsey, det. USS New Orleans abt 3 March; to USS Quincy.

Medical Corps

COMMANDER
Robert W. Wimberly (MC), det. USS Henderson in April; to Nav. Dispensary, Navy Dept.

LIEUTENANTS
James D. Boone (MC), det. Nav. Dispensary, Long Beach, Calif. abt 15 March; to Naval Hosp. Mare Island, Calif.
Ernest M. Wade (MC), det. Nav. Hosp, San Diego, Calif. abt 18 Feb.; to Nav. Hosp, Charleston, S. C.

Ship Movements

At New York

Arrived Yesterday

American Farmer, from London.
Aquitania, from Southampton.
Shansa, from Hamburg.

Arrive Today

No arrivals scheduled.

Arrive Tomorrow

Bergensfjord, from Oslo.
Chiriqui, from Cristobal.

Sailing Today

American Farmer, for London.
Aquitania, for Cherbourg.
Clan Matheson, for Capetown.
Drottningholm, for Gothenburg.
Westerniand, for Southampton.
Zaandam, for Rotterdam.

Sailing Tomorrow

No sailings scheduled.

Class of 1899 To Gather at G. W. Clinic

Lecture Sessions, Banquet Tonight Are Scheduled

A reunion of the class of 1899 will be one of the features of the seventh annual post-graduate clinic at George Washington University medical school today.

Twenty of the 28 men who were graduated in the class are still living and most of them are expected to attend today's reunion. They will be received at the medical school at 2 p. m. by Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin, university president; Dr. Oscar B. Hunter, president of the G. W. U Medical Society, and Dr. Walter A. Bloedorn, acting dean of the medical school.

Washington members of the group are Dr. Perry Murtaugh Cox, McLean, Va.; Dr. Frank Eugene Gibson, 927 I street northwest; Dr. John Paul Gunion, 6821 Laurel street northwest; Dr. Sothoron Key, Stoneleigh Courts; Capt. Henry Agett May, U. S. N.; Dr. Daniel Webster Prentiss, jr., 1746 K street northwest; Dr. Luther H. Reichelderfer, 1661 Crescent Place northwest, and Dr. William Eaton Sims, 1024 Vermont avenue northwest.

Dr. Kracke to Speak

At the G. W. Medical Society's banquet tonight at the Mayflower, final event of the postgraduate clinic program, Dr. Reichelderfer, in behalf of the class of 1899, will present to Acting Dean Bloedorn a photograph of the class taken at the time of graduation. It will be hung in the school.

Principal speaker at the banquet will be Dr. Roy R. Kracke, professor of bacteriology at Emory University medical school, whose subject will be diseases of the blood.

Blood Bank to Be Studied

Lecture sessions today will be continuous from 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., with luncheon being served in the university hospital dining room from 12:15 to 1 o'clock. Dr. Sterling Ruffin, professor emeritus of medicine, will preside at the morning course and Dr. Roger M. Choisser, professor of pathology, at the afternoon session.

The lectures will range in subject from popular misconceptions in the management of patients with high blood pressure to the procedure in establishing a blood bank.

The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table

(Furnished by United States Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises	6:57	
Sun sets		5:48
High tide	7:24	7:46
Low tide	2:00	2:21

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Friday, Feb. 17, 7:30 p. m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Partly cloudy Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness followed by rain at night; not much change in temperature; gentle to moderate southwest winds.

For Maryland and Virginia—Partly cloudy Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness followed by rain in afternoon or at night; not much change in temperature.

Conditions

The disturbance that was over Hudson Bay Thursday night has advanced to the south of Hudson Strait. Resolution Island, 29.46 inches, with a trough extending southward to western Quebec. Lac Dore, 29.46 inches. Another disturbance is moving rapidly eastward over western Ontario. Sioux Lookout, 29.54 inches, and the disturbance that was over the Rio Grande Valley has moved southeastward to the southwestern Gulf of Mexico. Pressure is high over and south of Newfoundland. Cape Race, 30.38 inches, with a wedge extending southwestward and westward to Alabama. Montgomery, 30.42 inches. Another high-pressure area is moving eastward over Oklahoma and Arkansas. Fort Smith, 30.46 inches, and pressure is high over the middle and northern Plateau. Pocatello, Idaho, 30.54 inches. During the last 24 hours rains have occurred in the Middle and West Gulf States and light snows in the lake region and the north portion of the North Atlantic States. Temperatures have risen in the Atlantic States, the upper Ohio Valley, the lake region, the Plains States, and in the middle and northern Rocky Mountain region, while they have fallen in the West Gulf States and Missouri.

Local Weather Report

Temperature—Midnight, 26; 2 a. m., 25; 4 a. m., 25; 6 a. m., 26; 8 a. m., 28; 10 a. m., 31; 12 noon, 38; 2 p. m., 40; 4 p. m., 45; 6 p. m., 44; 8 p. m., 42; 10 p. m., 40. Highest, 46. Lowest, 25.

Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 68; 1:30 p. m., 45; 7:30 p. m., 63. Rainfall (7:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.), none. Hours of sunshine, 2. Per cent of possible sunshine, 18.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1939, 239 degrees.

Excess of temperature since February 1, 1939, 99 degrees.

Accumulated excess of precipitation since January 1, 1939, 1.30 inches.

Excess of precipitation since February 1, 1939, 1.53 inches.

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures and precipitation for 24 hours ended 7:30 p. m.:

	Highest	Thur. 7:30 p.m.	Rain-fall.
		Lowest Fri. night.	
Washington D. C.	46	25	....
Asheville, N. C.	58	30	....
Atlanta, Ga.	62	32	....
Atlantic City, N. J.	40	18	....
Baltimore, Md.	46	24	....
Birmingham, Ala.	60	44	....
Bismarck, N. Dak.	42	16	....
Boston, Mass.	34	8	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	32	8	0.21
Cheyenne, Wyo.	44	4	....
Chicago, Ill.	24	28	0.03
Cincinnati, Ohio	44	28	....
Cleveland, Ohio	36	16	0.11
Dallas, Tex.	36	30	0.71
Davenport, Iowa	30	6	0.18
Denver, Colo.	48	14	....
Des Moines, Iowa	38	0	....
Detroit, Mich.	34	18	0.09
Duluth, Minn.	30	—4	....
El Paso, Tex.	42	30	....
Galveston, Tex.	66	60	0.07
Helena, Mont.	42	32	....
Huron, S. Dak.	44	0	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	42	28	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	66	54	....
Kansas City, Mo.	44	12	....
Little Rock, Ark.	52	28	....
Los Angeles, Calif.	68	56	....
Louisville, Ky.	52	36	0.02
Marquette, Mich.	24	2	....
Memphis, Tenn.	58	32	....
Miami, Fla.	76	72	....
Minneapolis-St. P., Minn.	34	—4	....
Mobile, Ala.	66	48	....
New Orleans, La.	76	56	....
New York, N. Y.	38	14	....
North Platte, Nebr.	50	8	....
Omaha, Nebr.	38	—6	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	40	14	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	54	48	0.03
Pittsburgh, Pa.	38	16	0.06
Portland, Me.	28	0	0.01
Portland, Oreg.	56	36	....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	48	14	....
St. Louis, Mo.	42	30	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	32	8	....
San Antonio, Tex.	40	40	0.25
San Diego, Calif.	68	50	....
San Francisco, Calif.	74	54	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	38	12	....
Savannah, Ga.	70	42	....
Seattle, Wash.	54	38	....
Springfield, Ill.	36	26	....
Tampa, Fla.	76	54	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	54	48	1.22

DIED.

BATES, MARIE ALICE. On Friday, February 17, 1939, MARIE ALICE BATES, beloved daughter of the late Charles Augustus and Alice Augusta Bates. Remains resting at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. ave., ne., where services will be held on Monday, February 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

DIED.

BATEMAN, JOSEPH R. On Friday, February 17, 1939, JOSEPH R. BATEMAN, husband of Julia Alice Bateman and father of Orval L., Nathan E. and Joseph Robert Bateman. Notice of services later.

BEHRMANN, SOPHIA. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at her home, 3280 N st. nw., SOPHIA BEHRMANN, aged 80 years, widow of Adolph Behrmann and beloved mother of Mrs. Dr. Nathan Eisenstein and Rudolph Behrmann. Funeral from her late residence on Sunday, February 19, at 10 a. m. Interment Washington Hebrew Congregation Cemetery.

CAMPBELL, EDWARD. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at Emergency Hospital, EDWARD CAMPBELL, formerly of 433 Eye st. nw. Services and interment at Luray, Va., on Sunday, February 19, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. T. Frank Murray funeral service, 741 11th st. se.

CARROLL, EMMA B. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 906 Shepherd st. nw., EMMA B. CARROLL, beloved mother of Bernard Carroll and Mrs. Audrey Fichter, sister of James T., Edwin E., Beverly H., jr., and William D. Elliott. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

CONRAD, WILLIAM H. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at Casualty Hospital, WILLIAM H. CONRAD, beloved husband of Charlotte E. Conrad (nee Smith) and father of William R., Joseph E. and John R. Conrad and Mrs. Helen Dixon. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Monday, February 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

COPELAND, LEVINA I. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 1351 Ives pl. se., LAVINA I. COPELAND, beloved wife of Mart V. Copeland and grandmother of Levina Schild Knecht. Funeral from the above residence on Monday, February 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery. Services by the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se.

CORSON, FANNIE H. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 718 Quincy st. nw., FANNIE H. CORSON. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Saturday, February 18, at 7:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Munsey, Pa.

CURTIS, BELLE B. On Wednesday, February 15, 1939, at her residence, 906 Eye st. nw., BELLE B. CURTIS, widow of Jesse R. Curtis. Funeral from the T. Frank Murray funeral home, 741 11th st. se., on Saturday, February 18, at 1 p. m. Services at Fletcher's Chapel, King George county, Va., at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment church cemetery.

deCRAENE, ALBERTINE S. On Wednesday, February 15, 1939, at the residence of her daughter, 7924 Orchard st., ALBERTINE S. deCRAENE (nee Challin), beloved wife of the late Camille deCraene and mother of Leon and Victor deCraene, Mrs. Jennie Lane, Miss Josephine deCraene and Mrs. Berthe Sauer. Funeral services from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Saturday, February 18, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ENGLING, CARL WILLIAM. Suddenly, on Wednesday, February 15, 1939, CARL WILLIAM ENGLING, of 415 18th st. ne., beloved husband of Emma Maria Engling and father of Mrs. Marion Jacobsen and Carl G. and Herbert A. Engling. Remains resting at Birch's funeral home, 3034 M st. nw., where services will be held on Saturday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

FLANAGAN, MARY E. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 2109 19th st. nw., MARY E. FLANAGAN, daughter of the late James J. and Margaret L. Flanagan. Mass will be offered at St. Matthew's Church, Rhode Island ave. nw., on Monday, February 20, at 9:30 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Kindly omit flowers. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

GLASSFORD, DOROTHY WRIGHTSON. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 3020 Q st., DOROTHY WRIGHTSON GLASSFORD, beloved wife of the late James Glassford and mother of Clara, Mary and James Glassford and Mrs. Elsie Bendall. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., where funeral services will be held on Monday, February 20, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

HARTLEY, MAY W. On Tuesday, February 14, 1939, at Garfield Hospital, MAY W. HARTLEY, beloved wife of Bolis Hartley and mother of Frances Pickett and Mrs. Thelda Johnson. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Saturday, February 18, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Riverview Cemetery, Strasburg, Va.

HILTON, OLIVIA L. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, OLIVIA L. HILTON (nee Golliflower), widow of William Hilton. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Monday, February 20, at 10 a. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

HOPKINS, JOSEPH A. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at his residence, 63 Kennedy st. nw., JOSEPH A. HOPKINS, beloved son of Celia I. Hopkins and the late John B. Hopkins. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., until 9 a. m. Sunday, February 19. Funeral services at his late residence, 63 Kennedy st. nw., on Monday, February 20, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

JONES, SUSANNA. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at her residence, 25 7th st. ne., SUSANNA Jones, beloved wife of the late Thomas N. Jones. Funeral from the Harry M. Padgett funeral home, 131 11th st. se., on Saturday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

JONSCHER, OTTO. On Wednesday, February 15, 1939, at New York City, OTTO JONSCHER, beloved brother of Robert Jonscher. Remains resting at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., where services will be held on Saturday, February 18, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Prospect Hill Cemetery.

KEELY, FRANK. On Wednesday, February 15, 1939, at Casualty Hospital, FRANK KEELY, beloved husband of Annie Denell Keely. Funeral services from the funeral home of Wm. Reuben Pumphrey, 7005 Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, Md., on Saturday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Interment Potomac, Md.

KOONTZ, ANNA. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at her residence, 1613 Trinidad ave. ne., ANNA KOONTZ, beloved wife of the late Rev. J. F. Koontz. Remains resting at the funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne., where services will be held on Saturday, February 18, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

MATTINGLY, MARY ELIZABETH. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at Maryland General Hospital, MARY ELIZABETH MATTINGLY, beloved daughter of the late Charles W. and Elizabeth Bromley Mattingly. Funeral services at William Cook funeral mansion, Saint Paul and Preston sts., Baltimore, Md., on Saturday, February 18, at 1 p. m. Interment Baltimore Cemetery.

MICHAL, EDWARD. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at Washington Sanitarium, Takoma Park, Md., EDWARD MICHAL, beloved father of Walter E. Michal, brother of Mrs. Catherine Bryson. Funeral services at the residence of his sister, 2624 Lee highway, Arlington, Va., on Saturday, February 18, at 8:15 a. m. Thence to St. Mary's Catholic Church where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Services by W. W. Chambers Co.

MITCHELL, CATHERINE M. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at her residence, 4521 Georgia ave. nw., CATHERINE M. MITCHELL (nee Carmody), beloved wife of Mayo C. Mitchell, and sister of Mrs. Jennie E. Wiesberg, Daniel, Louisville, and Mrs. Margaret McLane. Funeral services at her late residence on Saturday, February 18, at 9:30 a. m., then to St. Gabriel's Church at Grant circle nw., where requiem mass will be offered at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

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ROCKWELL, WILLIS G. On Thursday, February 16, 1939, at his residence, East Falls Church, Va., WILLIS G. ROCKWELL, the beloved husband of the late Ida I. Rockwell. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Saturday, February 18, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

RUFFNER, LORRAINE. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at her residence, 907 7th st. se., LORRAINE RUFFNER, the beloved friend of Laura Hall. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. Southeast funeral home, 517 11th st. se., on Monday, February 20, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Washington National Cemetery.

THORNBURGH, ROBERT. On Friday, February 17, 1939, ROBERT THORNBURGH, beloved brother of Richard Thornburgh, of Philadelphia, Pa. Remains resting at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw. Notice of funeral later.

TRAVERS, ALBERTA. Suddenly, on Thursday, February 16, 1939, at Emergency Hospital, ALBERTA TRAVERS, formerly of Hyattsville, Md., beloved wife of John W. Travers. Remains resting at her residence, 900 C st. se. Services at the Trinity Pentecostal Church, 505 L st. ne., on Sunday, February 19, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Bladensburg, Md.

VAN METER, CAPT. GARRETT OLIVER. Suddenly on Tuesday, February 14, 1939, at Columbia, South Carolina, CAPT. GARRETT OLIVER VAN METER, U. S. Army Reserve Corp, of Riverdale Heights, Md., beloved husband of Fannie M. Van Meter and father of Garrett E. Van Meter, Mrs. Wade M. Steelman and Charles L. Van Meter. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co. suburban funeral home, 618 Cleveland ave., Riverdale, Md., on Saturday, February 18, at 9:45 a. m. Services at Fort Myer Chapel, Fort Myer, Va., at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors.

VEGA, NANCY ESMERALDA. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at Children's Hospital, NANCY ESMERALDA VEGA, the beloved daughter of Guillermina and Antonia Vega. Funeral services at the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Monday, February 20, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

WATSON, JOHN WILLIAM. On Friday, February 17, 1939, at his residence, 2101 Nichols ave. se., JOHN WILLIAM WATSON, beloved husband of Ethel G. Watson (nee Friel). Notice of funeral later.

—Deaths—

Announcement of Services by Chambers.

Deceased.	Undertaker.
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deCraene, Albertine	W. W. Chambers Co.
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Conrad, William H.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Ruffner, Lorraine	W. W. Chambers Co.
Hopkins, Joseph A.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Carroll, Emma B.	W. W. Chambers Co.
Thornburgh, Robert	W. W. Chambers Co.
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COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, February 17, 1939. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 529, District Building, until 12 o'clock, p. m., and then publicly opened as follows: (a) On March 3, 1939, for constructing about 7,600 square yards of cement concrete sidewalk and about 8,400 square yards of cement concrete alley pavement, or alternate and (b) On March 6, 1939, for about 12,500 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement and about 32,500 square yards of cement concrete base course, or alternate. Apply Room 427, District Building, for proposals and specifications.

Treasury Department, Office of the Assistant Director of Procurement, Public Buildings Branch, Procurement Division, Washington, D. C., February 6, 1939—Sealed bids, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 A. M., March 2, 1939, and then publicly opened, for furnishing the materials, and performing the work for miscellaneous repairs at the U. S. National Institute of Health, Washington, D. C., in strict accordance with the specifications dated PB-8E-R, February 1, 1939, and drawings (if any) mentioned therein; and the general conditions dated May 11, 1937. Specifications and other data may be had at the office of the custodian of the building or procurement division, Public Buildings Branch, Washington, D. C. NEAL A. MELICK, Supervising Engineer. 16,18,20

Legal Notices

JEAN M. BOARDMAN, Attorney, 411 Southern Bldg.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia—Ralph Clarence Jackson, plaintiff, vs. Gladys E. Jackson, defendant. Civil action. File No. 1356. The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony. On motion of the plaintiff it is, this 9th day of February, 1939, ordered that the defendant, Gladys E. Jackson, cause her appearance to be entered hereon on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays

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Legal Notices

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JAMES J. HAYDEN, Attorney, Woodward Bldg.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 54442. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the State of Pennsylvania, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Thomas J. McGourty, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1940; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 3rd day of February, 1939. JOHN H. COLLINS, 804 Second National Bank Building, Wilkesbarre, Pa. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 11.18.25.

FREDERICK S. TYLER, Attorney, Woodward Bldg.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Fanny G. Miller deceased. No. 54446. Administration Docket 116. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters testamentary on said estate, by National Savings and Trust Company, it is ordered this 2nd day of February, A. D. 1939, that E. Walworth Thomas, if living, or if dead then Eugene W. Thomas and Olga Louise Wood and the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of E. Walworth Thomas and the unknown heirs at law and next of kin of Fanny G. Miller, deceased, and all others concerned, appear in said Court on MONDAY, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post, once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable ALFRED A. WHEAT, Chief Justice of said Court, this 2nd day of February, A. D. 1939. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 4.11.18.

I. H. MINOVITZ, Attorney, 1331 G St. N.W.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. John Becker, plaintiff, vs. Jennie Becker, defendant. Civil Action No. 1215. Order for publication. 1. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce on the grounds of five years' separation. 2. On the motion of the plaintiff, it is this 7th day of February, 1939, ordered that the defendant Jennie Becker cause her appearance to be entered herein on or before the first day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in the case of default. Provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post before said day. JENNINGS BAILEY, Justice. A true copy. Test: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk, by ANDREW A. HORNER, Assistant Clerk. 11.18.25.

F. G. MUNSON, Attorney.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court. Estate of Joseph A. Hurd, deceased. No. 54275. Administration Docket 116. Application having been made herein for probate of the last will and testament of said deceased, and for letters of administration c. t. a. to Thomas J. Hurd or some other qualified person on said estate, by Julia Daniels, it is ordered this 14th day of February, A. D. 1939, that Thomas J. Hurd and the unknown heirs at law and next of kin and all others concerned, appear in said court on MONDAY, the 27th day of March, A. D. 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause why such application should not be granted. Let notice hereof be published in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post once in each of three successive weeks before the return day herein mentioned, the first publication to be not less than thirty days before said return day. Witness, the Honorable ALFRED A. WHEAT, Chief Justice of said Court, this 14th day of February, A. D. 1939. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 18.25.4

ACHILLES CATSONIS, Attorney, Woodward Building.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Serafim Gianakis or Janakis, plaintiff, vs. Eudoxia Gianakis or Janakis, defendant. Civil Action No. 929. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce. On motion of the plaintiff, it is this 8th day of February, 1939, ordered that the defendant, Eudoxia Gianakis or Janakis, cause her appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post before said day. JENNINGS BAILEY, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By JOHN O. BOWEN, Assistant Clerk. 11.18.25

RALPH A. CUSICK, Attorney, Investment Building.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 54432. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters of administration on the estate of Aloysius Francis Burns, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 30TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1940; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 30th day of January, 1939. ALOYSIUS PATRICK BURNS, 601 Emerson street northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 4.11.18

HARRY A. GRANT, Attorney, 719 Fifteenth Street Northwest.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 54482. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Emma A. Lustig, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 28TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1940; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this 26th day of January, 1939. HARRY A. GRANT, 719 Fifteenth street northwest. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 4.11.18

J. GEORGE GATELY, Attorney.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 54427. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscribers, of the District of Columbia, and the State of Maryland, respectively, have obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Rose Eck, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscribers, on or before the 23D DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1940; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under our hands this 23d day of January, 1939. ANNIE MARIE GATELY, 926 Sixth street northeast; FRANK ECK, Hillside, Md. Attest: (Seal.) VICTOR S. MERSCH, Deputy Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 4.11.18

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Columbia, holding Probate Court. No. 54391. Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, who was by the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia granted letters testamentary on the estate of Katherine Bryant Wallace, deceased, has, with the approval of the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia, holding a Probate Court, appointed MONDAY, the 6th day of March, 1939, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time, and said Court room as the place, for making payment and distribution from said estate, under the court's direction and control, when and where all creditors and persons entitled to distributive shares or legacies, or the residue, or parts thereof, are notified to attend, in person or by agent or attorney duly authorized, with their claims against the estate properly vouched. Given under my hand this 7th day of February, 1939. LEVI H. DAVID, Executor, Bond Building, Washington, D. C. Attest: (Seal.) THEODORE COGSWELL, Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court. 11.18.25.

Auction Sales

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1939— ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers

TRUSTEES' SALE OF RESTAURANT FURNISHINGS AND EQUIPMENT.

By virtue of a chattel deed of trust recorded in Liber 7179, folio 240, D. C. Recorder's records, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell by public auction, at No. 1108 Eighth St., S. E., on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1939, at TEN O'CLOCK A. M., counter, cash register, steam table, sterilizer, coffee urns and stand, refrigerator, electric fans, crockery, glassware, utensils, etc.

TERMS: CASH.

ISADORE H. HALPERN
EDWARD McDEARMON
Trustees.

P.—Feb.16.18.20.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF EIGHT BRICK AND FIVE METAL GARAGES ON ALLEY BETWEEN SHEPHERD AND TAYLOR STREETS, KANSAS AND GEORGIA AVENUES NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber No. 6426, folio 465, et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale by public auction, in front of premises on FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1939, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described property in the District of Columbia, to wit: The South 26 feet by the full width of Lot 23 in Block 6 in John D. Coughlan, trustee's subdivision of part of a tract of land called "Padsworth", now known as "North Columbia Heights," as per plat recorded in the Office of the Surveyor for the District of Columbia in Liber County 15 at folio 19; now known for purposes of assessment and taxation as Lot 809 in Square 2909.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash. A deposit of $300 required of purchaser at sale. Examination of title, conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at cost of purchaser. Terms to be complied with within thirty days from day of sale, otherwise trustees reserve the right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C., or deposit may be forfeited, or without forfeiting deposit trustees may avail themselves of any legal or equitable rights against defaulting purchaser.

HARRY E. MERCIER.
JOSEPH G. STEPHENSON,
Trustees.

P.—Feb.13.16.18.21.24.

Official Notices

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL Board, Washington, D. C., February 18, 1939. Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied for licenses under the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, that remonstrants are entitled to be heard before the granting of such licenses, and that hearing will be had on such applications for licenses on March 6, 1939, at 9:30 a. m., in Room 225, District Building: 349, Louis Consorti, Retailer's "A," 100 15th St. N. E.; 2289, William Patrick Ryan, Retailer's "C," 5422 Georgia Avenue N. W. GEORGE W. OFFUTT, AGNES K. MASON, ISAAC GANS, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL Board, Washington, D. C., February 11, 1939. Notice is hereby given that the following persons have applied for licenses under the District of Columbia Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, that remonstrants are entitled to be heard before the granting of such licenses, and that hearing will be had on such applications for licenses on February 27, 1939, at 9:30 A. M., in Room 225, District Building: 113, Ontario Pharmacy, Inc., Retailer's "A", 1737-39-41 Columbia Road N.W.; 260, Floyd Abraham and David Miller, Retailer's "A", 2712 Good Hope Rd. S.E.; 305, Hyman Sacha, T/A New York Liquor Store, Retailer's "A", 1451 Maryland Ave. N.E.; 1962, Irving Kogod, T/A Hamlin Market, Retailer's "B", 2940 12th St. N.E.; 2167, Laurie P. Vereen, Retailer's "D", 1312 11th St. N.W.; 4433, Jack Levy, Retailer's "B," 531 23rd St. N.W.; 4435, Ralph Wilson, T/A Jerry's Grill, Retailer's "D," 539 8th St. S.E.; 4436, Square Deal Market Co., Inc., T/A Food Fair, Retailer's "B", 1420 7th St. N.W. GEORGE W. OFFUTT, AGNES K. MASON, ISAAC GANS, Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. 11.18

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You can phone your "Lost and Found" ads to The Post until 11 p. m. for insertion the following morning. For the Sunday Post, Saturday, 4 p. m. ("Found" ads are published free.)

BUNCH KEYS—Wed., vic. 16th and L sts. nw. or Hertford pl. Reward. AD. 2218.

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Motor Travel 10

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Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 2-line ad costs only 20 cents.

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Help—Male 12

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Situations—Female 16

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COLORED woman wishes day work; ref. Col. 7200, ext. 10.

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Situations—Male 17

GENERAL utility colored man; references. 1323 South Carolina ave. se.

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Wanted—Houses 67

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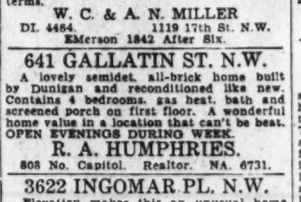

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Suburban for Sale 70

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Business Opportunities 77

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ACCORDIONS—Before purchasing a piano accordion, it's to your advantage to see Droop's first. 1300 G st. nw.

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DOUBLE bed, mattress, springs, fine condition; $10.

SMOKEY STOVER — Smokey Stover Also Appears in Sunday's Post

WINNIE WINKLE — Winnie Winkle Also Appears in Sunday's Post — BY BRANNER

IF YOU'D TURNED PROFESSIONAL WHEN I FIRST SAW YOU IN THOSE COLLEGE BOUTS, LIKE I ASKED YOU TO, YOU'D BE CHAMP NOW!
BUT YOU HAD TO TRY ENGINEERING AND DIDN'T LOOK ME UP UNTIL YOU WENT BROKE AT IT!
PLEASE TURN OFF SHOWERS
TONIGHT YOU WON YOUR SIXTH STRAIGHT FIGHT!
GOSH! DID I WIN?

MR. AND MRS. — Mr. and Mrs. Also Appear in Sunday's Post — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER

JOE, THEY'RE ADVERTISING SOME WONDERFUL VALUES IN RUGS!
YEAH? WHAT OF IT?
YOU WOULDN'T SAY THAT IF YOU'D LOOK AT OUR LIVING-ROOM FLOOR
RUG WEARING OUT AGAIN?
AGAIN? WHY, IT'S BEEN WORN OUT FOR YEARS!
HOW ABOUT A LITTLE TWO-BY-FOUR TO HIDE THE WORN SPOT?
LISTEN! DO YOU REALIZE THAT WE'VE SPENT MORE FOR LITTLE RUGS TO COVER WORN SPOTS THAN A WHOLE BIG RUG WOULD COST US?
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NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — Napoleon Also Appears in The Sunday Post — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

THERE NOW, YOU LITTLE RASCAL! A NICE SOFT BED FOR YOU! I ALWAYS FIGURED THERE'S NO BED TOO GOOD FOR A GOOD DOG!
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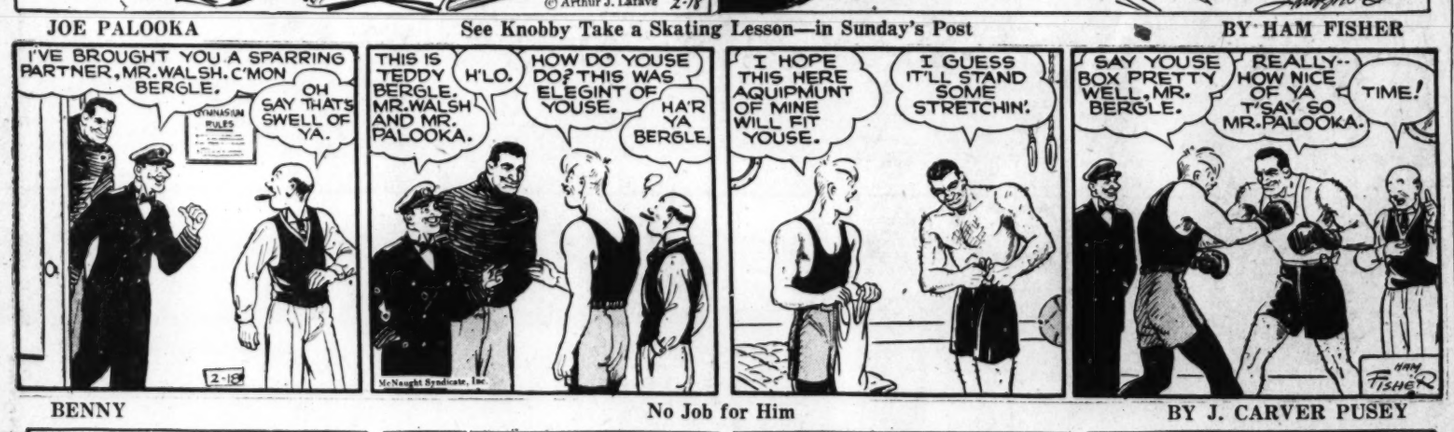
JOE PALOOKA — See Knobby Take a Skating Lesson—in Sunday's Post — BY HAM FISHER


I'VE BROUGHT YOU A SPARRING PARTNER, MR. WALSH. C'MON BERGLE.
OH SAY THAT'S SWELL OF YA.
THIS IS TEDDY BERGLE, MR. WALSH AND MR. PALOOKA.
H'LO.
HOW DO YOUSE DO? THIS WAS ELEGINT OF YOUSE.
HA'R YA BERGLE.
I HOPE THIS HERE AQUIPMUNT OF MINE WILL FIT YOUSE.
I GUESS IT'LL STAND SOME STRETCHIN'.
SAY YOUSE BOX PRETTY WELL, MR. BERGLE.
REALLY-- HOW NICE OF YA T'SAY SO MR. PALOOKA.
TIME!
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BENNY — No Job for Him — BY J. CARVER PUSEY

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AT LARGE
DANGEROUS

PRIVATE LIVES — By Edwin Cox

THE RECENTLY-MARRIED SALLY CLARK McLANAHAN
ANNE ROOSEVELT'S SISTER, HATES HATS WITH SUCH A VENGEANCE THAT SHE SAILED ON HER HONEYMOON WITHOUT A SINGLE ONE!
JAMES ROWLAND ANGELL
PRESIDENT EMERITUS OF YALE, HELPED THE UNIVERSITY QUADRUPLE ITS ENDOWMENT, BUT HAS TROUBLE KEEPING HIS OWN CHECK BOOK BALANCED!
NO WONDER THEIR FOOTBALL TEAMS ARE HARD TO LICK! NOTRE DAME'S HARDY PRESIDENT
THE REV. JOHN F. O'HARA
TAKES AN AFTERNOON SWIM IN THE CAMPUS POOL SUMMER AND WINTER, RAIN, SNOW OR SHINE.
-Bliss-
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Private Lives Gives Low-Down on Nazi Herman Goering, This Sunday

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

One of the most important and most neglected phases of contract bridge is the stepchild of play the tax their energies in learning coups and end plays. They will pass arduous hours trying to protect their technique to pull a card at random when it comes their turn to make opening lead. Bridge players will the opening lead.

If these otherwise careful players could be convinced that one to three tricks are often made or lost on the opening, undoubtedly they would apply themselves to learning the art of the opening lead.

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Today's Hand

Neither side vulnerable.

WEST DEALER

Today's Hand

Neither Side Vulnerable

WEST DEALER

	♠ K 6 2 ♡ A 8 7 5 3 ◇ Q 8 4 ♣ 5 3	
♠ A Q 7 ♡ 10 6 2 ◇ A 3 ♣ A K J 4 2	NORTH / WEST / EAST / SOUTH	♠ J 9 5 4 ♡ K Q ◇ K J 9 7 6 ♣ Q 10
	♠ 10 8 3 ♡ J 9 4 ◇ 10 5 2 ♣ 9 8 7 6	

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 ♣	Pass	1 ◇	Pass
2 NT.	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
4 NT.	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
5 NT.	Pass	6 ♡	Pass
6 NT.	Dbl.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead: 5 ♡

Opening lead:

Luckily for Nroth in today's hand his lead did not provide declarer with the means of making the contract, for 12 tricks were present in any event, but it did offer an opportunity to squeeze for seven. And at duplicate an extra trick may mean just as mtuch as the slam itself.

Enough of this post-mortem. Alas, the declarer in question actually pulled the wrong card and went down at six; such is the luck of duplicate. He says:

"At a recent duplicate game, using the Blackwood convention, I found myself in a doubled six no-trump contract. I managed to play it very badly and went down two tricks. There was no excuse for my misplay.

"I won the opeening lead of the heart five in dummy and led a small diamond, intending to play the ace and return a diamond to finesse the queen. For some stupid reason I dropped the threee spo ton the table and of all things, when North won with the eight, the two opponents and my partner turned the trick as if I had won. I corrected the play and North cashed the ace of hearts for the setting trick.

I was so disgusted with myself that I managed somehow to lose another trick without taking the spade finesse.

"As you can easily see, the hand plays itself when the diamond return to the jack holds. I can run five clubs, five diamonds, one heart and a spade for 12 tricks."

What our contributor did not see was that in so doing North is squeezed in his attempt to hold the heart ace and protect his king of spades. This develops because of the underlead of the heart ace, which gives declarer a trick on the opening lead.

Today's Radio Highlights

Whether or not college men are playboys is the basis of the discussion on today's "University Life" program, presented under the auspices of the Public Discussion Council of Columbia University—WOL, 1 p. m.

"Tristan und Isolda," from the Metropolitan Opera Co.'s stage, with Kirsten Flagstad, Lauritz Melchior, Herbert Janssen and Karin Branzell in the leading roles—WRC, 1:55 p. m.

Eye-witness description of a platoon of army tanks maneuvering in the midst of the heavy traffic of New York's Times Square—WJSV, 2:30 p. m.

Ceremonies attending the opening of "Treasure Island" at the San Francisco Fair—WMAL, 3 p. m.; WOL, WJSV, 3:30 p. m.

Dramatization of O. Henry's famous short story, "The Last of the Troubadors," features the "Johnny Presents" show—WJSV, 8 p. m.

Arturo Toscanini conducts the N. B. C. Symphony Orchesta in an all-Sibelius program, including the Second Symphony in D Major and three symphonic poems: "En Saga," "The Swan of Tuonela" and "Finlandia"—WMAL, 10 p. m.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Saturday, Feb. 18 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time.

	WMAL 476M—630KC	WRC 316M—950KC	WOL 229M—1,230KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC	
6:00	...	Gordon Hittenmark	...	...	6:00
6:15	...	" "	...	...	6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude.	" "	Art Brown	...	6:30
6:45	" "	" "	" "	...	6:45
7:00	" "	" "	" "	Arthur Godfrey	7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	7:15
7:30	Station PDS	" "	News	" "	7:30
7:45	Presents	" "	Art Brown	" "	7:45
8:00	" "	News	" "	News	8:00
8:15	" "	Gordon H'mark	" "	Arthur Godfrey	8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	News	" "	8:30
8:45	The Clemens	" "	Art Brown	" "	8:45
9:00	News	News	" "	" "	9:00
9:15	Breakfast Club	National	" "	S. Munchmore	9:15
9:30	" "	Children's	Waltz Themes	Civic Forum	9:30
9:45	Gospel Singer	Frol c	Comm. Calendar	" "	9:45
10:00	Ranch Boys	Ed McConnell	Marriage Clinic	Dr. Norman	10:00
10:15	Salon Orch.	No School Today	" "	Gerstenfeld	10:15
10:30	Radio Column	Aunt Sue's	Once Upon	Four Corners	10:30
10:45	Child Grows Up	Quiz Party	a Time	Theater	10:45
11:00	Music	Betty Moore	Musical Potpourri	N.Y.	11:00
11:15	International	Brissett's Orch.	Wonderful World	Philharmonic	11:15
11:30	Our Barn	School of	U. S. Army	Young	11:30
11:45	" "	Music	Band	People's	11:45

AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.

12:00	Educational	News	Gills' Orch.	Concert	12:00
12:15	Forum	Music	News	" "	12:15
12:30	Natl. Farm	Call to Youth	Luncheon Music	Day of Prayer	12:30
12:45	and	Devotions	Glee Club	Sallie M'lmore	12:45
1:00	Home	Mat. in Rhythm	University Life	All Hands	1:00
1:15	Hour	Stamp Collectors	" "	on Deck	1:15
1:30	National Rep.	The Rhythmaires	Tony Wakeman	Lyan Murray's	1:30
1:45	Club Discussion	" "	" "	Mood for Mod	1:45
2:00	Ray Kinney's	Metropolitan	" "	News	2:00
2:15	Orchestra	Opera	" "	Tex Walker	2:15
2:30	Al Roth's	Company	" "	Defense W. Prg.	2:30
2:45	Orchestra	Presents	" "	Sportsmen's Sh.	2:45
3:00	Pres. Roosevelt	"Tristan	News	Opening San	3:00
3:15	" "	and	Tony Wakeman	Francisco	3:15
3:30	" "	Isolde"	" "	Fair Pres.	3:30
3:45	" "	" "	" "	Roosevelt	3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	" "	Pres. Roosevelt	Men Against	4:00
4:15	" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	Death	4:15
4:30	" "	" "	" "	Institute	4:30
4:45	" "	" "	" "	Round Table	4:45
5:00	Roth Quartet	" "	Cocktail Capers	"What Price	5:00
5:15	" "	" "	" "	America?"	5:15
5:30	News	" "	Sammy Kaye's	Labor News	5:30
5:45	Tune Types	Topical Tunes	Orchestra	Maisbard Or.	5:45

EVENING PROGRAMS.

6:00	Harmonies	News	Sports Resume	News	6:00
6:15	El Chico	Studio Party	Crosby's Orch.	Magazine Aw'd	6:15
6:30	Renfrew of	Gordon's Orch.	Walter Compton	Arch McDonald	6:30
6:45	the Mounted	Religion in News	Lander's Orch.	Sewing Lesson	6:45
7:00	Message of	Avalon Time	The Students'	Americans	7:00
7:15	Israel	" "	Assembly	at Work	7:15
7:30	Intermezzo	Family Quiz	Renard's Orch.	Joe E. Brown	7:30
7:45	Barry McKinley	Party	Pres. Roosevelt	" "	7:45
		Wm. Hahn & Co.			
8:00	Ben Cutler's	Quaker Party	Jazz Nocturne	Johnny	8:00
8:15	Orchestra	" "	" "	Presents	8:15
8:30	"The Road to	Fred Waring	Central Union	Professor	8:30
8:45	Freedom"	" "	Mission	Quiz	8:45
9:00	Natl. Barn	Vox Pop	News	Honolulu	9:00
9:15	Dance	" "	Hawaii Calls	Bound	9:15
9:30	" "	Hall of Fun	H'lyw'd Whispers	Sat. Night	9:30
9:45	" "	" " "	Sons of Pioneers	Serenade	9:45
10:00	Symphony	" " "	Hatton's Orch.	Your	10:00
10:15	Orchestra,	Lee Pressman	Dance Music	Hit	10:15
10:30	Arturo	Biltmore Boys'	Theater	Parade	10:30
10:45	Toscanini	Orchestra	Clinton's Orch.	Capitol Opin.	10:45
11:00	Conducting	News, Music	News	News	11:00
11:15	" "	Modern	Orchestra	Swing Party	11:15
11:30	News	Music	Jimmy Dorsey's	" "	11:30
11:45	Night Watchman	Masters	Jurgen's Orch.	" "	11:45
12:00	" "	Jan Savelts'	Glen Gray's	" "	12:00
12:15	" "	Orchestra	Orchestra	" "	12:15
12:30	" "	Eddie Rogers	Orren Tucker's	" "	12:30
12:45	" "	Orchestra	Orchestra	" "	12:45
1:00	" "	Sign Off	Shep Field's	" "	1:00
1:15	" "	...	Orchester	Sign Off	1:15
1:30	" "	...	Reichman's Orch.	...	1:30
1:45	(Until 2 A. M.)	...	(Until 2 A. M.)	...	1:45

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Church Federation Dinner on Friday

The Washington Federation of Churches will fire the "opening gun" in its $18,665 budget campaign with a dinner at the Calvary Baptist Church next Friday.

Addresses by the Rev. Peter Marshall, New York Avenue Presbyterian cleric, and Dr. Edward H. Pruden, pastor of First Baptist Church, are scheduled, as well as "movies" of the federation's activities, filmed recently by William B. Mauger. Nearly 500 pastors and campaign workers of 22 denominations are enlisted in the drive.

The Federal Diary

By Scott Hart

THE Council of Personnel Administration already has recognized the tremendous weight, the unwieldiness of the vast number of applicants for civil service jobs. The number increases with each day, as the benefits, alleged security and various myths of the blessings of Federal employment come to the ear of the American who is either without a job or dissatisfied with the one he holds.

The council, it is true, won't be, necessarily, at the commission's offices to groan as the truck loads of applications roll in, or to wince at the thought that the C. S. staff is both unequipped and numerically too light to handle the load. But the council is charged with duty to "advise and assist the President and the commission in the protection and improvement of the merit system," and under this Executive order mandate is viewing this rush of applications as a problem to be dealt with. But how?

The commission has asked the question of itself before. Commission President Mitchell has said of the problem: "A striking illustration of this is in examinations for stenographer and typist during the past few years. The commission announced one of these examinations late in 1933 and received 60,000 applications. It announced another in 1936 and received 83,000 applications. A short time ago it announced a third and there have been received 112,000 applications. In an effort to lessen our work, a combined examination was announced a few months ago for various grades of investigators. Previously, examinations for these various investigators had been held separately. Whether anything has been saved by combining the examinations is now rather doubtful as 241,000 persons have filed applications. These applications were received by the commission in truck loads, and it is a tremendous job to get that number sorted and entered in order that notices of examinations may be sent the applicants telling when and where each individual will be examined . . . The result is that it will be at least a year from the closing date for applications before the register is established."

Just where this problem could be attacked is difficult to see. In very essence, "merit system" implies that one and all, the papa, mama, children and the hired man can compete competitively for Federal jobs. It is the salvation of democracy, civil service speakers insist. You figure it out.

From the Mailbox

"TODAY WE were all a-twitter because a checkup showed that the radio division of the Office of Education would receive its fifty thousandth letter of fan mail on the "Americans All—Immigrants All" program. Well, the letter came and it was postmarked from England (where we have many listeners). The correspondent said he and his wife were accustomed to turning on the radio before going to bed, and then listening to the American program. On this night, the program was followed by a rendition of the "Star-Spangled Banner." The wife jumped from bed and stood at attention out of respect for America. And since then she has berated her husband for not doing likewise. The purpose of the Englishman's letter was to inquire whether it was a custom in the United States for Americans to jump from bed when the National Anthem was played." Well, by jove, as a saddle-back opinion from the Federal Diary, we'd say the Englishman should follow his own conscience. The conflict between repose and friendly gesture is his to resolve, at long last.

NOTES: The Scrap Iron Club, which functions within the North Carolina Democratic Club, gives a lampooning to the N. C. Congressional delegation at a banquet and dance to be held at the Raleigh Hotel tonight by the Democratic Club. Former Gov. Max Gardner will attend. Y. M. Smith, of the War Risk Insurance Bureau, heads the club. The party hour is 7 o'clock . . . The excess column of the apportionment, for the week ended February 15, shows: Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Missouri, Colorado, Washington, Kansas, Minnesota, Vermont, North and South Dakota, Montana, Rhode Island, Iowa, Nebraska, Virginia, Maryland and the District (certification of eligibles is made first from States which are in arrears) . . . General Land Office Lodge, 153, A. F. G. E., dances tonight at the Cairo Hotel. It's a George Washington Anniversary affair . . . A steak and fish dinner, eaten after a brisk walk in the high Catoctins of Maryland, is an inducement for Federal employes to attend an outing to be held at the Catoctin Camp Wednesday.

Bob Burns Says—

Say, did you hear about that lady movie fan who won $187.50 on Bank Night an' went up on the stage an' stunned the audience an' made the theater manager drop in a dead faint by sayin': "I don't want the money. I came here to see the show!" That beats the old maid who got the prize for makin' the homeliest face at a stunt party, an' refused to take it, sayin' she wasn't playin'!

But, gettin' back to that movie customer who turned down the dough. I'll bet her husband, if she had any, gave her a ribbin' when she got home. I can jes' hear him sayin': "A hundred an' eighty-seven bucks is a lot of green vegetables an' you have to go up there on the stage an' stick your nose up at it! Baby, it's worth every cent of that prize to sit through most double feature bills, an' you know it!" Me, though, I take it as a dern good sign that pitchers is gettin' better if a movie fan walks out on a wad of cash an' says she only came to see the show. That is, unless she was terrible dumb an' thought they was a-givin' away "stage money."

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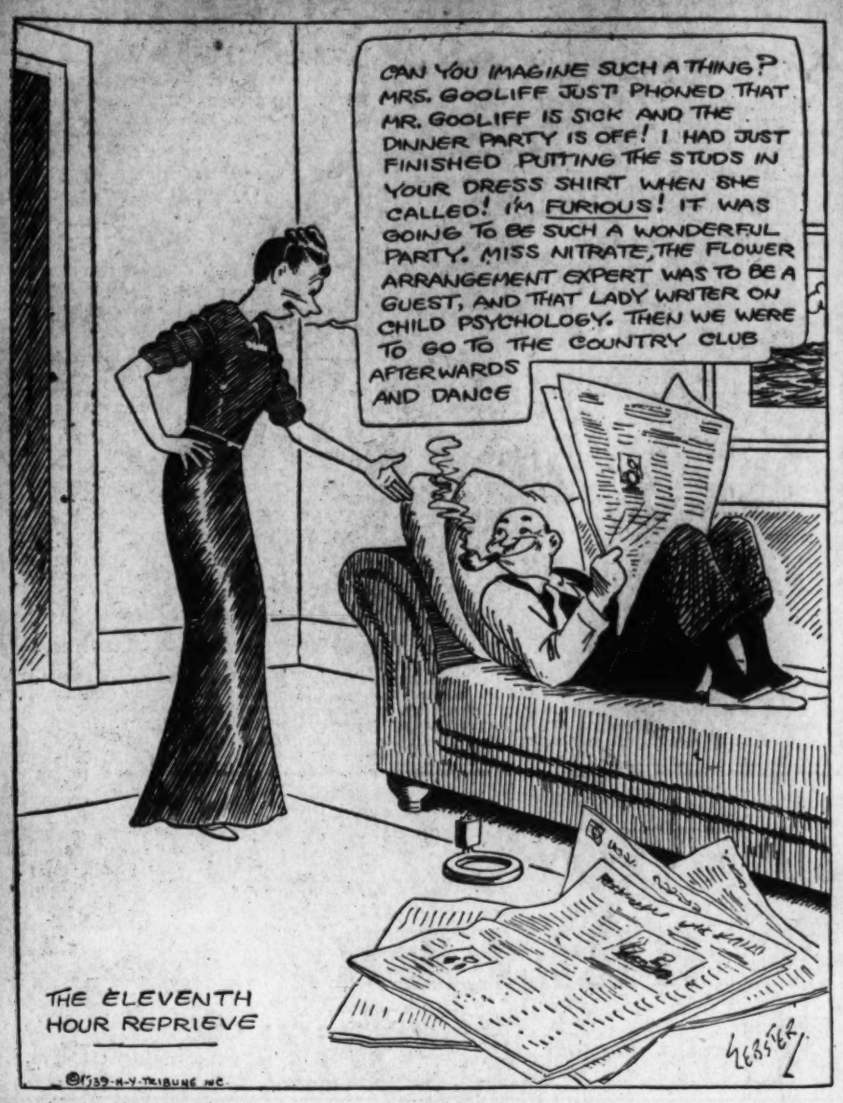
The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime


CAN YOU IMAGINE SUCH A THING? MRS. GOOLIFF JUST PHONED THAT MR. GOOLIFF IS SICK AND THE DINNER PARTY IS OFF! I HAD JUST FINISHED PUTTING THE STUDS IN YOUR DRESS SHIRT WHEN SHE CALLED! I'M FURIOUS! IT WAS GOING TO BE SUCH A WONDERFUL PARTY. MISS NITRATE, THE FLOWER ARRANGEMENT EXPERT WAS TO BE A GUEST, AND THAT LADY WRITER ON CHILD PSYCHOLOGY. THEN WE WERE TO GO TO THE COUNTRY CLUB AFTERWARDS AND DANCE
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TERRY AND THE PIRATES — More Exciting Developments—in Sunday's Post — BY MILTON CANIFF

BARON DE PLEXUS' PLANS WON'T STAY AWAY FROM IT'S BAGE LONG IN THIS ROUGH COUNTRY!
WAITIN' TILL IT COMES IN IS A GOOD HUNCH, RYAN! WE'LL BAG TH' LOT OF 'EM! GETTIN' DARK!
THAT ALARM RANG, BOSS! SOMEBUDDY MUSTA CROSSED TH' BRIDGE T' THIS PLANTATION!
WHOEVER IT IS-THEY'RE LYING LOW... WAITING TO STRIKE WHEN MY SHIP LANDS! IT'S BEEN HOURS SINCE THE ALARM!
KEEP OUT OF SIGHT! MOW THEM DOWN AS THEY RUSH WHEN THE PLANE TAXIS IN!....
LISTEN, BARON! MOTORS! MEBBE WE BETTER SIGNAL 'EM T' STAY AWAY AWHILE!
IMPOSSIBLE, YOU FOOL—THEY'LL BE DOWN TO THE LAST RESERVE GASOLINE TANK! SWITCH ON THE FIELD LIGHTS!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — Chief Wahoo Also Appears in Sunday's Post — BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

GENTLEMEN! I HAVE THE HONOR TO PRESENT CHIEF WAHOO, WHO FOUND THE WONDERFUL DINOSAUR SKULL I TOLD YOU ABOUT!
AND I—AHEM!—AM HIS FRIEND AND TUTOR, J. MORTIMER GUSTO—A.B—B.A.—C.D PH.D AND C.O.D!
BEFORE WE LIFT THIS COVERING TO DISPLAY THIS PRECIOUS OBJECT, I FEEL INSPIRED TO MAKE A FEW REMARKS—
UGH! PALEFACE GUSTO FULLA PRUNES!
BLAH-BLAH-BLAH-ETC ETC.—AND NOW, FELLOW SCIENTISTS, I SHALL REVEAL TO YOU WHAT MAY BE THE OLDEST THING ON EARTH—BEHOLD—
ZOUNDS!
WAAA!

MICKEY FINN — This Sunday—Uncle Phil Becomes a Hero — BY LANK LEONARD

WE WERE HOPING THAT WE COULD HAVE HAD A REHEARSAL OF THE WEDDING TONIGHT, MISS. POPSIE!
WELL, I'M AWFUL SORRY BUT TOM COULDN'T GET HERE—HE HADDA WORK!
GEE, KITTY—I WISH TOM WASN'T GONNA BE ON NIGHT DUTY RIGHT UP TO THE WEDDIN'! MOST OF THE JAMS THAT COPS GET INTO HAPPEN AT NIGHT!
OH, DON'T WORRY ABOUT ANYTHING HAPPENING TO HIM, FLOSSIE—MICKEY SAYS THEY HAVEN'T HAD ANY TROUBLE FOR WEEKS!
EVERYTHING'S SET SERGEANT!
OKAY!
CALLING CAR 23! CALLING CAR 23! REPORT TO SERGEANT CRONIN OF THE HOMICIDE SQUAD AT CORNER OF STATE AND MAIN! HURRY!! URGENT!! THAT IS ALL!

DIXIE DUGAN — Dixie Takes Her First Solo Flight—in Sunday's Post — J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIBEL

MICKEY—WHAT'S THE MATTER?—YOU'RE CRYING!
(SOB)-(SOB) YOU WIN, DIXIE
I GIVE UP TRYING TO WIN DENNY'S HEART THROUGH HIS STOMACH—I TRIED TO COOK A GRAND MEAL, BUT GOT COOKED MYSELF!
AND YOU SHOULD SEE TH' STEAK—IT'S A HUNK OF CHARCOAL—YOU CAN DRAW PICTURES WITH IT. (SNIFF)
OH, I'M TERRIBLY SORRY, MICKEY—HONEST I AM!
YOU'RE SORRY??—HUH!—I'M TH' ONE T'BE SORRY! FAT CHANCE I HAVE!—HE'D NEVER MARRY A GIRL WHO SHOWED HIM HOW GOOD A COOK SHE WASN'T, LIKE I JUST DID.

DONALD DUCK — Anchor Away! — BY WALT DISNEY

UNCA DONALD, IF A BOY FELL IN A WELL 30 FEET DEEP
AND TWO-THIRDS FULL O' WATER—
HOW LONG A ROPE WOULD YA NEED
TO GET HIM OUT?
AH! GLAD YA ASKED ME THAT! THOSE PROBLEMS ARE MY MEAT!
CAN'T YA FIGURE
FASTER, UNCA DONALD?
QUIET! WHAT'S THE BIG RUSH?
WELL LOUIE CAN'T SWIM VERY WELL
AND HE'S IN THERE!
HALP! BLUB-B-- HALP!

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Don Winslow Also Appears in The Sunday Post — BY FRANK MARTINEK

CERTAINLY, I KNOW "THE ORCHID"... SHE'S A ROVING SPY-FASCINATING-CLEVER---SHE ONCE TRIED TO SELL ME FOREIGN NAVAL SECRETS..
SEE WHAT SHE'S UP TO?
SOMEHOW SHE'S FERRETED OUT THE PLANS OF OUR MYSTERIOUS INVADER AND IS WILLING TO SELL HIM OUT!
CORRECT! NOW, LET'S SEE--WHERE'S HER HEADQUARTERS?
THAT'S HER SECRET, SIR---BUT THIS NOTE CAME FROM PANAMA CITY-
HM-M....IT MIGHT BE A GOOD IDEA----YES, WINSLOW, I THINK YOU'D BETTER FLY DOWN TO PANAMA.... IT MAY BRING RESULTS...

NED BRANDT—A Story of College Athletics — Ned Brandt Also Appears in Sunday's Post — BY BOB ZUPPKE

NOT NOW, DOC—THE SLEEP OF ONE WHO HAS CORPUS GLUGAS SHOULD NOT BE DISTURBED!
BUT I NEVER HEARD OF THE AILMENT—I MUST EXAMINE HIS PULSE
WHY—THIS BOY IS FULLY DRESSED! WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS?
IT MEANS, DOC, THAT WE HAD A GOOD IDEA BUT IT DIDN'T WORK!
YOU SEE NED BRANT HAD A FALLING OUT WITH HIS GIRL
I JUMPED INTO THIS EMPTY HOSPITAL BED—BUD CALLED GAIL—SHE'S ON HER WAY OVER—THINKS I'M ILL!
HMMM! MAYBE I CAN HELP YOU!
DOC! YOU DON'T MEAN IT!

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE — Apple Mary Also Appears in Sunday's Post — BY MARTHA ORR

NOW SON, REMEMBER, DON'T LET ON THAT YOU KNOW ME WHEN SNARL ACCUSES YOU. ACT GUILTY!
O.K. DAD.
MR. CARVER, I HAVE ENDEAVORED TO RUN YOUR BUSINESS HERE PROPERLY, BUT IN SPITE OF MY EFFORTS...
I UNDERSTAND, MR. SNARL.
IS THIS THE MAN YOU ACCUSE?
WHAT HAVE YOU TO SAY FOR YOURSELF?
WELL SIR, IT'S LIKE THIS, SIR..

Grin and Bear It

By Lichty

"The first dress I try on you like and want me to buy—Well! You certainly don't know much about shopping, Wilbur!"

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Most distant
9 Sufficient
14 Musical drama
15 Winding and advancing
16 Mountain in Wyoming
17 A truce
19 A mild offense in law: Fr.
21 Dusk
22 Character in "Little Women"
23 English country festivals
25 Tropical rope plant
27 Lofty
28 Cot
29 A long, narrow arm of the sea
30 Hebrew letter
31 In
32 Male bees
33 Nomads
36 A city in N. W. Pennsylvania
38 Gambol
39 Wading-bird
40 Military truck
43 Leave
44 Pole
45 On the left side
46 Add up
47 Fable writer: var.
49 Fun
50 Crafts
51 Barnyard animal
52 Mongrel
53 Yours
55 Sweetheart
58 Tippler
61 A salt of cetic acid
62 The state of being estranged
64 Scandinavian
65 Alienate

DOWN.

1 Mist
2 Mimic
3 Severed
4 Essays
5 Parts of the foot
6 And: Lat.
7 Position
8 Pitch
9 Recess in church
10 Clove
11 Native, original
12 Shoestring
13 Requiem
15 Hindu god
18 Repairs
20 Town in New York
23 Confound
24 Oblivion
26 Exist
27 Brother of Moses
29 A large tropical leaf
30 Ancient card game
32 Bar
34 Fanatic
35 Europeans
37 Claim presumptuously
38 An arm of the sea
40 Genus of goats
41 Volcano in the Philippines
42 Human beings
44 Rock-boring tool
47 Heroic poems
48 Fibrous chord
49 Certain
50 Custard apple
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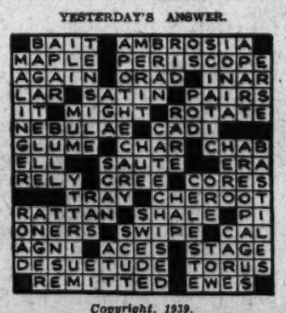
YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.



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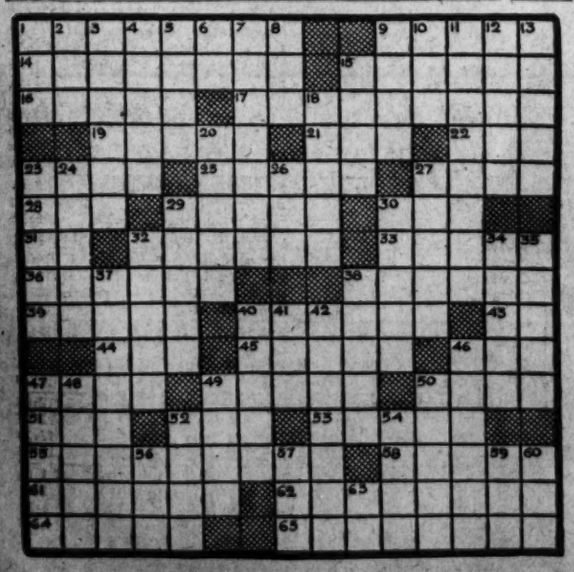

Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess.

The Reward of Thrift

Spunky the White Fox was home. It wouldn't seem like home to you or to me, way up there in the land of snow and ice. It might to an Eskimo, but to none other of mankind and at this time of the year to very few of the feathered and furred folk. But it really was home to Spunky, for it was there he had lived all his summers and some winters, ever since he first started out in the Great World. He had been away a long time, far out on the ice, following Snow King the Polar Bear to live comfortably on what that mighty hunter left after each meal.

At first he thought that there was no one in the neighborhood. That didn't bother him. In fact, it would suit him very well indeed. He does not mind being alone.

But the very first day following his return he discovered that he wasn't alone, after all. He had had a short nap, curled up in the snow in a sheltered place. He awoke with the queer feeling that someone was about; that someone was watching him. It made him uneasy, but he made no sign that he suspected that anyone was about.

So it was that presently he saw three small dark spots on the snow. He noticed them because they had moved. It was for only an instant that they moved. He kept watch of them and soon they moved again. Then he made out a sharp face. It was a face as sharp as his own and as white as his own. One dark spot was a small black nose and the two other dark spots were eyes. They were watching him even as he was watching them.

Spunky stood up. He stood stiff-legged as you have seen a dog stand in the presence of a stranger. Indeed, he looked very like a small white dog. Slowly he advanced toward the stranger walking stiff-legged and with lips lifted to show his teeth a little. The other suddenly leaped to one side and ran a very little way before turning to look back. This was repeated two or three times. At last the stranger allowed Spunky to approach. They touched noses. Behold they were strangers no longer! It was none other than Mrs. Spunky. She had pretended to be a stranger. Not since Spunky had elected to follow Snow King the Polar Bear had they seen each other.

"I'm hungry," said Spunky.

"I am just as hungry as you are," declared Mrs. Spunky.

"Is the hunting poor around here?" asked Spunky.

"If it was any worse there would not be any at all," replied Mrs. Spunky.

"It wasn't so bad out on the ice following Snow King," said Spunky, looking back a bit wistfully.

"Then why didn't you stay there?" demanded Mrs. Spunky.

"He swam to some ice where I couldn't follow," explained Spunky, sadly.

"So you came back," said Mrs. Spunky. "How do you expect to find enough for two where there isn't enough for one?"

Spunky grinned. "Perhaps it can be done," said he, and started running about here and there as if looking for something he felt sure was somewhere about. Mrs. Spunky sat down and watched. She had hunted this same place over and over and she was discouraged. Suddenly Spunky began to dig in the snow. It was hard digging, for it was frozen. He kept on digging.

There wasn't much earth and when he had scratched it away there was the body of a Lemming. Of course it was frozen, but that didn't matter. In fact it was well that it was frozen, for that is what kept it good all this time.

Spunky pulled it out while Mrs. Spunky looked on enviously. He pulled out another. One he bolted. The other he tossed toward Mrs. Spunky. "I stored them there last summer," he said. "There are more in different places around here if only I can find them. I knew they would come in handy some time."

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2 U.S. Cardinals Due in Rome Tomorrow

Duce, King and Queen Attend Requiem Mass For Pope Pius

By the Associated Press.

Rome, Feb. 17.—Dennis Cardinal Dougherty, Archbishop of Philadelphia, and George Cardinal Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, are expected to arrive here tomorrow night, the first American cardinals ever to complete a transatlantic crossing in time to vote in the election of a Pope.

The only time heretofore that an American cardinal balloted on a Pope was in 1914 when the late John Cardinal Farley of New York happened to be in Switzerland and reached Rome in time to participate in the election of Pope Benedict XV.

It was announced United States Consul General Thomas Bowman would greet them when they debark at Naples from the liner Rex and that Edward L. Reed, counselor, and Samuel Reber, second secretary of the embassy, would be at the station to welcome them in Rome. Bishop Ralph Hayes, rector of the North American College in Rome, also was expected to be at the station.

Today, one of official mourning for all Italy for the death of Pope Pius XI, Premier Mussolini and his ministers, King Vittorio Emanuele and Queen Elena attended a special funeral mass in the 340-year-old Church of Santa Andrea della Valle.

The sixth of the nine consecutive funeral masses was sung in St. Peter's. Cardinals will celebrate the final three—Angelo Maria Cardinal Dolci the first tomorrow and Alessio Cardinal Ascalesi, Archbishop of Naples, next Sunday.

O'Connell Due March 1

Ildefonso Cardinal Schuster, Archbishop of Milan, whom many consider a likely candidate to succeed Pope Pius, will officiate at the ninth and final mass Monday.

(William Cardinal O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston, was unable to reach New York in time to sail with his colleagues aboard the Rex. He followed on the liner Saturnia Wednesday and was expected to transfer to the Neptunia at Gibraltar and reach Rome by the time the voting begins about March 1.)

A penetrating chill pervaded Santa Andrea della Vallee today at the mass at which a congregation of fewer than 2,000 joined the King and premier.

The monarch was clad in gray-green army uniform and carried a sword, and Queen Elena in black with a long lace veil.

Mussolini sat almost immobile throughout the ceremony, alone, opposite and below the sovereigns' dias, with his cabinet behind him. He stared intently at the altar, but did not use the prayer bench before his chair.

Hitler Sets 50-Mile Speed Limit; U. S. Car in Auto Show

By the Associated Press.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—Reichsfuehrer Hitler set 50 miles an hour today as the proper top speed and called reckless driving a "crime against the nation."

Opening the 1939 automobile show, he also announced:

That "raw materials we used to import from abroad no longer are necessary to us even if they are unrestrictedly at our disposal" because of successes in the four-year plan for self-sufficiency.

Appointment of Col. Adolf von Schell as chief of the motor car industry with power to tell manufacturers what types to produce. He assigned Von Schell to reduce passenger types in 1939 from 55 to 23 and trucks from 110 to 14 to attain greater uniformity.

He said automobiles in the last six years had taken the lives of as many Germans as were killed by Louis Napoleon's bullets in the Franco-Prussian War—49,000.

As he spoke, he was flanked by two examples of his dream car, the "volkswagen," or people's car, scheduled for marketing in 1941 at 990 marks ($396.)

Fourteen makes from five foreign countries, including one from the United States (Hudson), were represented at the show, which displayed a total of 308 passenger cars and trucks.

Croat Carred by U. S. Ends Hunger Strike

New York, Feb. 17 (AP).—Dr. Branimir Jelic, 33, Croatian minority leader from Yugoslavia, broke a three-day hunger strike protesting his exclusion from this country by sipping some milk in the Ellis Island hospital tonight.

Byron H. Uhl, district immigration director, said the exclusion was ordered because Dr. Jelic's visa was "not appropriate."

Opera Guild to Present 'Cavalleria Rusticana'

The Remington-Webster Grand Opera Guild, of New York and Washington, will present Mascagni's "Cavalleria Rusticana" and Leoncavallo's "Pagliacci" at the Immaculate Conception Auditorium Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. This group presented Verdi's "Rigoletto" last year at Wardman Park Theater with marked success.

70 Army Horses Killed In Barracks Blaze

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 17 (AP).—Seventy horses were burned to death today as fire of undetermined origin swept National Guard stables and barracks here.

The loss is expected to reach $10,000. Exploding ammunition in the buildings made work of city firemen extremely hazardous.

French Fleet at Tunis

Bizerta, Tunisia, Feb. 17 (AP).—More than 40 warships of the French Mediterranean fleet participating in annual spring maneuvers arrived today at this French North African naval base in territory which has figured in recent Italian demands on France for colonial concessions.

A Reporter at the Papal Court: Conflict With Mussolini

Pope Pius Sought Peace and Would Fight for It

By Thomas B. Morgan.

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Although Pius XI inaugurated his reign with an apostrophe to peace, it was not the peace of resignation nor of abject defeatism. He wanted a virile and dynamic peace, and for such a peace he was ready to fight. Thirty years of cloistered library work had not destroyed his inherent combative nature. He could fight.

He waged wars in all parts of the world. Wherever he decided that the rights of the Holy See had been infringed upon, he prepared the battle order for priests and bishops. But there was one war in which he himself was on the firing line.

Two years after the signing of the Lateran pacts, conflict broke out between Mussolini and the Pope. There Pius XI was actually on the field.

The Lateran agreements seemed to be working well until the spring of 1931, when Fascist leaders accused Catholic lay associations of political activity in violation of the pacts. A press campaign throughout Italy condemned the alleged interference in the Fascist program, charging that it was opposition under the camouflage of religion.

These attacks were especially leveled at Italian Catholic Action, a lay organization of which Mgr. Pizzardo was the national president.

Mussolini Leads Fight

Mussolini assumed the direction of the fight for fascism and the Pope took direct command for the Holy See.

"It is necessary to clear the atmosphere," ruled Mussolini. "Things must be put in their proper place."

"Our expectations of the prime minister of Italy have been severely disappointed," complained the Pope.

The Pontiff examined the program and activities of Catholic Action. He conducted a severe personal investigation. After the investigation he proclaimed that whatever the organization had done was within its right and within the Lateran pacts.

Feeling rose to boiling heat. The Pontiff, stiffened by the virile language of the Italian press, proclaimed the "Non Prevalebunt." Counter-attacking, Mussolini ordered the dissolution of all Catholic societies. Their meeting places and equipment, whether religious or athletic, were sequestered.

This included five Knights of Columbus playgrounds in Rome. Verbal pellets developed into physical bludgeonings. Several Catholic Action headquarters were broken into and sacked. Portraits of the Pope were snatched from the walls and burned with cries of "Down with the Pope."

Catholics Clubbed

Catholic students were clubbed and devastations of Catholic societies occurred in Milan, Pavia, Bari, Benevento, Venice, Trieste, Verona and Civitavecchia. Rome University students staged an anti-papal demonstration, burning copies of the Osservatore Romano on the university grounds. On the facade of a church at the Metronia gate in Rome a placard read "Death to the Pope."

The Pope addressed a letter to Italian bishops exhorting them to protest against the arbitrary dissolution of Catholic societies and the sporadic acts of violence.

As a climax to the daily occurrences of intermittent violence came a radio broadcast by the Italian government, transmitted over the short wave and evidently designed to present Mussolini's side of the case to all nations.

This message was picked up and published in the United States. It accused the priests of purposely prohibiting religious processions so as to cast discredit on the government, charged Catholic Action with flagrant political activity and pointed to the fact that its "banners, insignia and membership cards" were "the outward sign of a political party."

This message aroused the Pope more than any other single incident.

It was at this time that I was received in audience by Pius XI.

There was little of the niceties of welcome this time.

"Where is this radio station located?" he demanded.

"If your Holiness refers to the short-wave station, it is located at Prato Smeraldo along the Ostia road," I replied.

"There is a station at Santa Polomba, isn't there?" he asked.

"There is the medium-wave station, which serves central Italy. Transmission from that station cannot be heard abroad," I answered.

"This message which the Italian government has broadcast and which has been published in the United States and other countries is unfair to Catholic Action and does not correspond to the facts. We have investigated the charges of the Italian government and are certain that Catholic Action has no political affiliations. It has faithfully followed and obeyed the purpose of its foundation, which is, above all, to participate in the apostolic mission of the church. Doubtless this radio message was published in a large number of newspapers in America?"

"It was, Holy Father, because it was also transmitted by the press agencies which serve thousands of newspapers."

He looked at me and his eyes flashed fight.

"They have used that method of confounding the nations abroad," he deplored. "But they will not be able to do it for long. We have our ways. They will know of us yet. It is nothing but calumny to accuse the Catholic Action of political campaigning."

There was a breathless moment.

"These are difficult times, Holy Father," I ventured.

"We are fortified. We are fortified," he said and then imparted the benediction.

It was not many days later that the world was to know his "ways." Even while I had been sitting in audience, he was preparing an encyclical to the whole of the Catholic world.

When the copies were ready, he sent for Monsignor Francis J. Spellman, now auxiliary bishop of Boston, who then occupied a position in the Vatican Secretariat of State. Later I asked Spellman about the audience and he told me the story in these words:

"The Holy Father picked up a copy of the encyclical and said that he had written it for the whole world. The problem was to get it published abroad, for he feared that it would be tampered with by the Italian government if sent over the regular telegraph wires. He said he wanted to entrust me with the publication of the message outside of Italy. I told him that I would take it secretly to Paris, where, through my newspaper connections, I would secure its publication all over the world.

"I left Rome secretly, successfully crossed the Italian border, and arrived in Paris. There I distributed the encyclical to the Associated Press, the United Press and other agencies."

This encyclical circulated with such attendant drama—secretly printed, secretly transported and smuggled out of Italy—had drawn the attention of the nations to the Italian ecclesiastical conflict. It was the Pope's answer to the Italian short-wave broadcast and produced the identical reaction he desired.

The encyclical was the most polemic which the Pope had ever written. It protested, condemned, challenged and waged war. It defied the Italian government to prove any political activity by Catholic Action. It defended "the sacred and inviolate rights of souls and of the Church." It denounced the Italian state as attempting to monopolize youth and then flung down the gauntlet with "If God be with us who can be against us?"

"As is already well known," proclaimed the encyclical, "we have on several occasions solemnly declared and protested that Catholic Action, both by its nature and in its essential self (participation and collaboration of the laity in the hierarchical apostolate), that it is outside and above all political parties. This estrangement from politics is even by our precise and categorical directions and decrees. We have at the same time affirmed and protested that we know on our own certain knowledge that our directions and decrees have been faithfully obeyed and followed in Italy.

"Before the facts and the documentation of the facts, of which the eye and the hand are witness, we have always said and continue to say that to accuse Catholic Action of participating in politics was and is a real and unmitigated calumny."

This stroke did not at first raise great fears in the minds of the Italian government.

The violent attacks became less violent, and happy signs pointed toward a calmer deliberation of the outstanding differences. Finally the government revoked its decree closing all the Catholic Action headquarters.

On September 2 an agreement was reached calling the end to hostilities. A pact was drawn up and peace declared.

With peace came the official visit of Mussolini to the Pope. It was fixed for February 11, 1932, third anniversary of the signing of the Lateran Pacts.

By 9 o'colck on the morning of February 11 all approaches to the courtyard of St. Damasus were cleared of all traffic, for the Duce was scheduled to enter the Vatican palaces at 9:55. His audience with the Pope was to take place at exactly 10 o'clock. The luxurious black ministerial limousine bearing the Italian Prime Minister, in full ceremonial uniform, and Count de Vecchi, Italian Ambassador to the Holy See, whisked into the courtyard at 9:48, seven minutes before the scheduled time. It was followed by other limousines occupied by other Italian dignitaries.

All the Pope's soldiers detailed for the visit were in their places—had been in their places for an hour. There was no one else. The Duce descended in the midst of half-posed movie cameras and stiff gendarmes, who saluted with rigid precision but could not even tell him where to go.

He was garbed in superb ministerial grandeur, wearing the swallow-tailed uniform of head of the government. The front of the tunic was a mass of gold-braided knots and figures. Lavish gold designs embellished the sleeves and a wide gold stripe decorated the trousers. Two cordons, one red and one gold and white, were drawn across his chest. The gold bejeweled collar of the Most Holy Annunciation was hung about his neck while glittering stars, crosses and medals further garnished the magnificence of his ministerial splendor. He carried a plumed hat and an elaborately worked ceremonial sword. Standing in the midst of camera tripods and saluting soldiers who stood like statues, he seemed alone and forgotten. No one dared offer him a word.

The papal ceremonier assigned to receive him at the entrance to the Scala Papale as late. After this wait of several minutes a prelate in flowing violet robes rushed down the stairs. He extended his hand with smiling pleasantries about the minutes that had passed with nothing to do. Mussolini did not mind it now. He forgave the prelate, who showed him upstairs, escorted by gendarmes, Swiss Guards and papal chamberlains. His own entourage filed behind him.

With a score of invited guests, I stood waiting for Mussolini to pass through the Clementine Hall. Presently Mgr. Caccia-Dominioni came rushing into the hall and began assigning everyone to his place.

Suddenly he gave a start. There was a woman among the guests. That was a mixup. There were to be no women. Added to the delay, there was this complication.

CARDINAL MUNDELEIN CARDINAL DOUGHERTY

These two American cardinals, expected to arrive in Rome tonight, will be the first Americans in the history of the church to complete a transatlantic crossing in time to vote for a Pope

Press Campaign Condemned So-Called Meddling in Fascism

How had a woman got in anyway?

For an instant, he was between passing it off because the time was short and adhering to strict protocol of "no women." He decided on "no women," though Mussolini was half way up the stairs.

"Signorina," he snapped with unequivocal decision, "I beg you to leave immediately."

There was a blank silence as everyone looked upon the embarrassed woman, whose face blushing to scarlet red was a fiery ball topped by golden flames of titian blonde. She perked up courage. She threw back her burning head.

"I have a perfect right to be here, Monsignor," she returned.

"Rights here are decided by me. I beg you not to discuss the matter and to leave immediately."

"This is unfair. Why did I get a ticket? I must stay, Monsignor," she pleaded.

Monsignor Irritated

Instead, uninfluenced by female wiles, he was irritated, perplexed.

"Signorina, I do not want to adopt anything but kind words," he declared, ominously looking around at a couple of powerful gendarmes, "but if you do not leave immediately you will force me to act."

That was final. The crowd knew that was final. The woman knew it.

"Let someone accompany me then and I will leave," she yielded, throwing her fiery head in the air a second time.

Turning to another prelate, Mgr. Caccia-Dominioni beckoned him.

"Please accompany the signorina to the courtyard," he requested.

Out went prelate and signorina by an inconspicuous and unceremonious back exit.

The master of the household then gave orders to the commander of the Swiss Guard to draw up the escort of honor at the end of the hall. While this was being done, the stern and square-jawed countenance of Mussolini was seen heading the procession up the stairs. Mgr. Caccia-Dominioni turned from giving orders and went to the head of the stairs to greet the Duce.

He bowed before him and even opened his arms in welcome. Then he shook his hand and smilingly told him that the Holy Father was waiting for him. The annoyance of the woman was forgotten. He was suave, gracious and effusive.

Duce Complacent, Calm

Now the Italian dictator stood where King George and many other kings had stood. I watched him. He was complacent and calm.

He was visiting the Pope as Prime Minister of Italy and he must wear the distinctive emblems of that office. The Vatican was all new to him.

The Mussolini cortege moved into the anteroom and then into the large throne room. Mgr. Caccia-Dominioni showed the way and explained the particular characteristic of each room.

As the Dictator approached the Pope he was immediately invited to sit down. There without the usual and almost obligatory formality of genuflecting and kissing the ring, the conversation so long awaited begun. That Pius XI had waived traditional formality was the outstanding incident in the visit.

The audience was so protracted that all the Pontifical Court wondered. For one hour, the two powerful personalities discussed the relation between Church and State and how best to preserve the harmony of these relations.

Duce Sees Gasparri

The audience concluded, the party was escorted to the second floor, where Mussolini called upon Cardinal Gasparri. This visit was a courteous formality, and not prolonged because the two men had already met several times previously.

The procession formed again and proceeded along the loggias of Raphael, through the Royal Hall, the Ducal Hall, down the stairway of Constantine and into the basilica of St. Peter's, which had been especially closed for this private visit.

At the entrance, Mussolini was met by a number of the canons of the basilica who conducted him with great ceremony to the tomb of St. Peter, where velvet-covered prie-dieus had been prepared in advance.

Here he was to pray amid the invited guests. This he did not like. It was evident that he did not wish this ceremony of praying at the tomb of St. Peter to become a public spectacle.

Now he knelt before the tomb of St. Peter. He laid his hat beside him and adjusted his sword. He was putting his gloved hands together when he noticed a battery of cameras focused upon him. He became more visibly annoyed. He watched them a moment.

"The time to pray is not the time to be photographed," he said in a low but authoritative voice, motioning the camermen to leave. They disappeared.

It was then he put his hands together. He closed his eyes and his lips moved. The prayer lasted two minutes. He had performed the rite. He was friends with the Pope.

Tomorrow: The Annapolis Midshipmen cheer the Pope.

U. S. Demands Japan Explain Seizure of Hainan Island

By the Associated Press.

Tokyo, Feb. 17.—The United States again joined France and Britain in parallel action in the Far East today when Ambassador Joseph C. Grew asked for an explanation of Japan's occupation of Hainan Island off the south China coast.

Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita replied to Grew in the same manner as he had to similar questions within a few days from the French and British Ambassadors, Charles Henry and Sir Robert Leslie Craigie.

His reply was that occupation of the island, 750 miles west of the Philippines, was "intended to strengthen the Japanese blockade of the south China coast and is not going beyond requirements of military necessity."

(In Washington a State Department official said Grew acted on department instructions and that his inquiry was to be of a political nature, concerned only with Japan's designs in the Orient as connected with Hainan, not with the status of Americans on the island.

(The United States destroyer John D. Edwards returned to Hongkong from Hainan today with confirmation of radio reports that all Americans were safe at Hoihow and Kiungchow, two cities occupied last week.)

The foreign office spokesman said American interests on the island, 150 miles from French Indo-China and on Britain's vital route between Hongkong and Singapore, were chiefly missionary enterprises, including eight schools, three hospitals and three churches.

He said Americans on Hainan had numbered 25 missionaries and 39 other residents. (Nearly all "other residents" were believed to be women and children of missionary families, most of whom left Hainan before the occupation began, leaving 25 United States citizens on the island, at least two of whom were in the Chinese customs service.)

A Domei (Japanese news agency) dispatch at the same time reported Japan was opening a consulate-general on Hainan, a move that was interpreted as indicating Japan intended to make the occupation an extended one.

Japanese naval forces landed on Hainan February 10.

A previous instance of parallel American, British and French action in the Far East came a month ago when all three officially expressed opposition to Japan's program of establishing a "new order" in East Asia and insisted the open door be maintained in China.

Meanwhile, a dangerous situation was believed to be developing between Japan and Soviet Russia over Japanese fishing rights in Soviet waters, where an annual catch valued at $20,000,000 has formed a major source of Japan's food supplies and supported a huge canning industry.

The old agreement covering Japan's use of such rights expired December 31 and long negotiations for its renewal have been fruitless.

As time for the fishing fleet's departure in April draws near, Japanese have asserted they would continue to use Soviet waters regardless of Russian wishes.

Azana Urges Peace With Franco at Once On Any Terms Possible, Paris Reports

By the Associated Press.

Paris, Feb. 17.—Manuel Azana, president of Government Spain, who has pleaded the futility of further resistance to Insurgent Gen. Franco, was reported tonight to have demanded his government make peace on any terms.

Azana again conferred with Foreign Minister Julio Alvarez del Vayo and was believed still trying to persuade him to abandon further defense of the one-fourth of Spain the government still holds. An aide of the president said Azana had insisted "resistance is vain."

Alvarez del Vayo, loyalist foreign minister, was reported leaving sometime tonight for Madrid by airplane.

Informed diplomatic quarters said both Britain and France actively were pushing peace negotiations at Franco's capital, Burgos. Alvarez del Vayo, who flew here from loyalist Spain, apparently was waiting for the outcome of the negotiations.

Hinge on One Demand

It was believed they were being carried on as closely as possible on the lines of Spanish Loyalist Premier Juan Negrin's "three points," altered only to eliminate his demand for a plebiscite to let the people of Spain decide what kind of government they want.

Insurgent assurances to Britain, diplomats said, apparently have satisfied another of Negrin's conditions for surrender, his demand for dismissal of foreign soldiers from Spain and for a regime free of foreign influence.

Thus, it seemed, success or failure of peace efforts depended on whether Franco, who has insisted on unconditional surrender, would guarantee clemency to the government's supporters. This was Negrin's third demand.

End "Blood Bath"

Azana's desire that the government waive all conditions was reported to be based on his ardent wish to see peace restored immediately to Spain which tomorrow, February 18, will enter its thirty-second month of civil war.

"The moment has come to end the tragic and useless blood bath, with the help of France and Britain," the President was quoted as having told Alvarez del Vayo.

"I would favor certain conditions," he was said to have declared, "but after all, events are stronger than we are."

Azana, it was understood, pointed out to the foreign minister that Britain and France already had made evacuation of Italian and German troops from Insurgent Spain cardinal points in their own policies

"Since Franco has published his law on political responsibilities," the President was further quoted, "we are no longer in position to obtain further concessions there.

"It is better for the leaders to throw themselves on the goodness of France and Britain to help them escape reprisals than to continue the slaughter."

Embassy Guarded

(An insurgent "law of political responsibilities," decreed at Burgos Monday, imposed penalties on persons in conquered Spanish territory who may be deemed hostile to the insurgent cause. It provided for dissolution of all parties of the pro-government front, but insurgent officials said its severest penalties were exile and loss of citizenship.)

Ten policemen have been posted around the Spanish Embassy, where Azana has taken up residence and where he has been conferring in carefully guarded secrecy.

Senator Leon Berard, who has represented the French government informally at Burgos, conferred twice today with Foreign Minister Bonnet before returning to insurgent Spain. He and Sir Robert Hodgson, British agent in insurgent Spain, were said to be planning joint conversations with representatives of Franco Saturday night.

No Precipitous Action

By the Associated Press.

Undersecretary of State Welles declared yesterday the Administration would not make any precipitous decision to recognize Gen. Franco's government and ruled out the possibility of a Pan-American front on this question.

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